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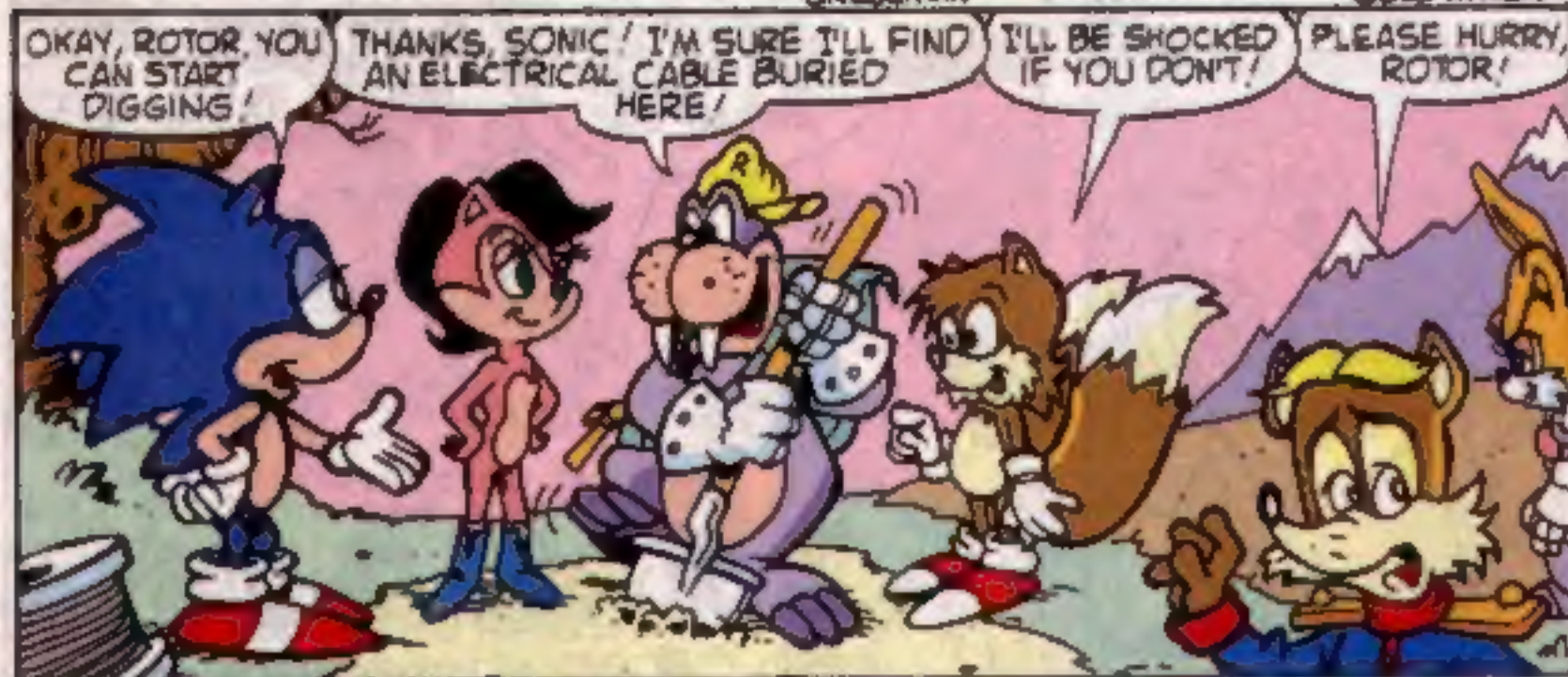
SONIC IN "REVENGE OF THE NERBS!"

THE HEDGEHOG

PART 1



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WE ARE ON THE OUTSKIRTS OF ROBOTROPOLIS / IF ROBOTNIK FINDS US STEALING ELECTRICAL POWER FROM HIS UNDERGROUND CABLES, HE'LL BE FURIOUS!

YEAH! HE'LL PROBABLY SEND AN ARMY OF HIS BADNIKS AFTER US WITH AN ELECTRICAL BILL!

WELCOME TO ROBOTROPOLIS (NOT)

LOOK! I FOUND TWO IDENTICAL CABLES HERE!

CAREFUL, ROTOR! ONE OF THEM COULD SET OFF ANOTHER LAND MINE!

HOW DO Y'ALL KNOW WHICH ONE TO CHOOSE?

TRY "EENIE-MEENIE-MINEE-MO"!

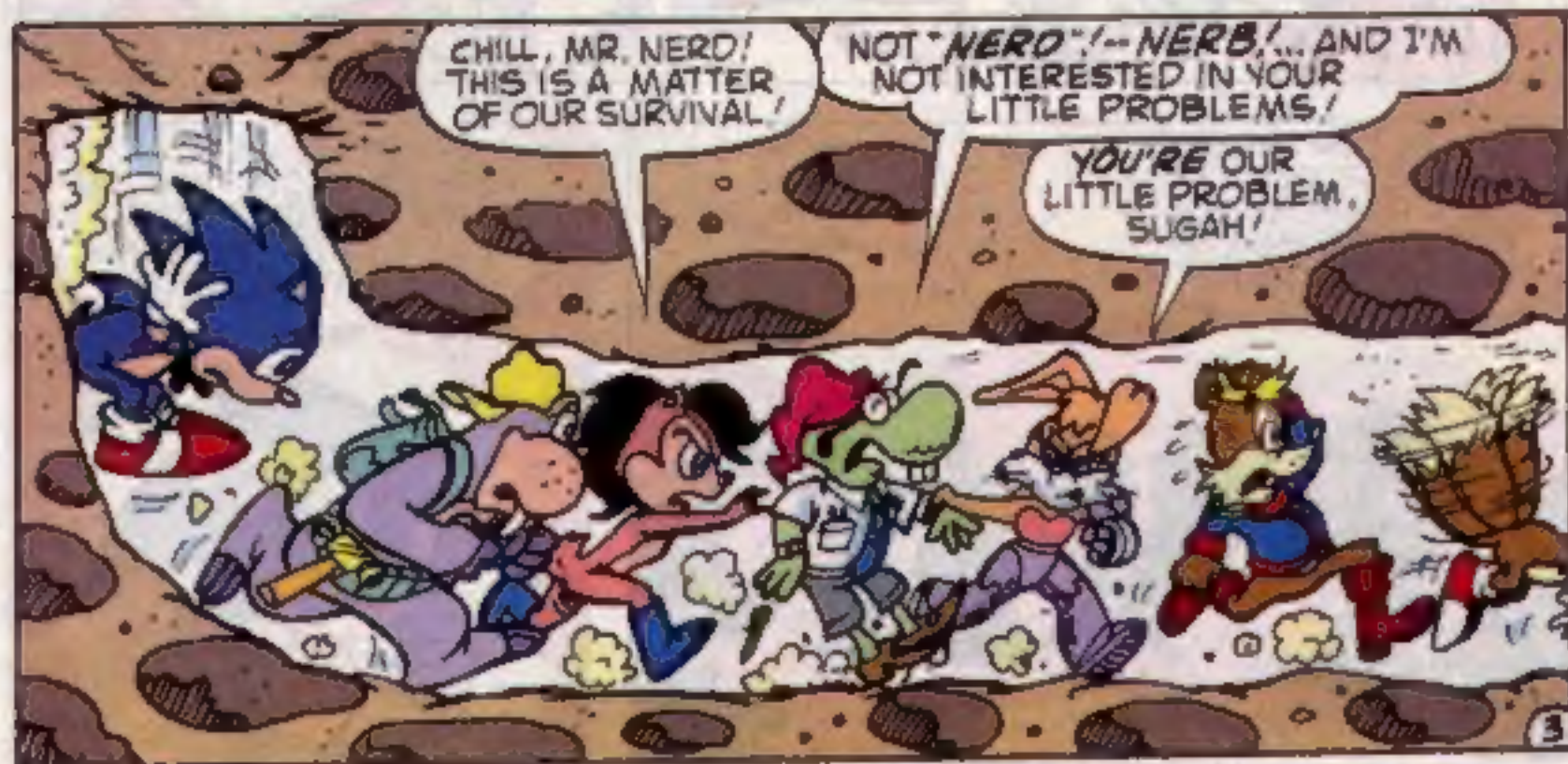
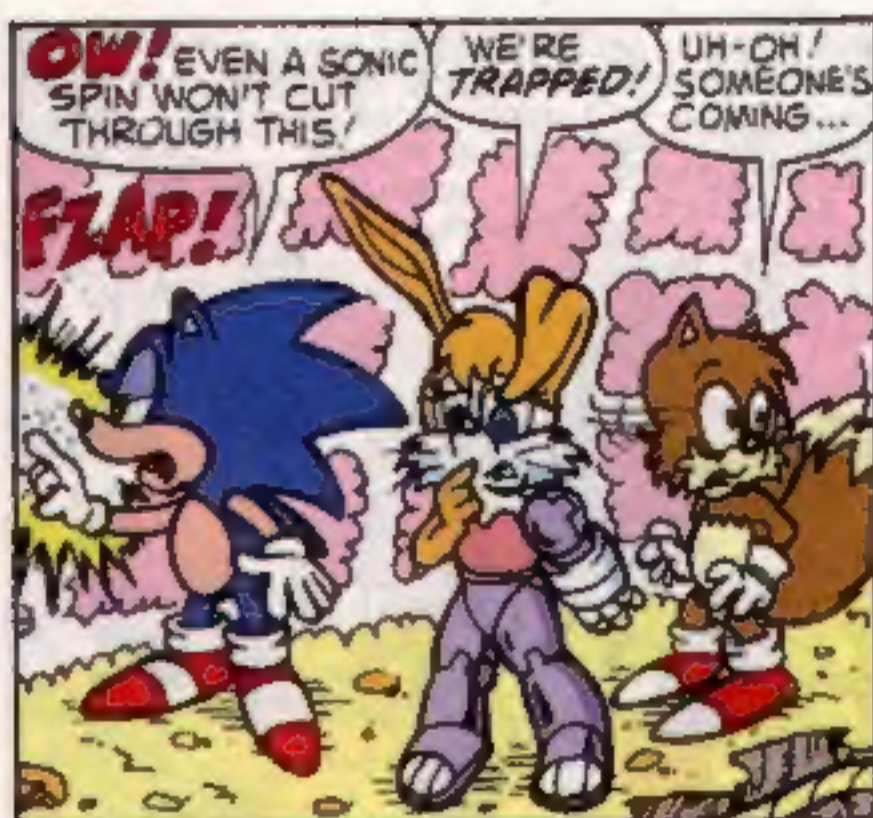
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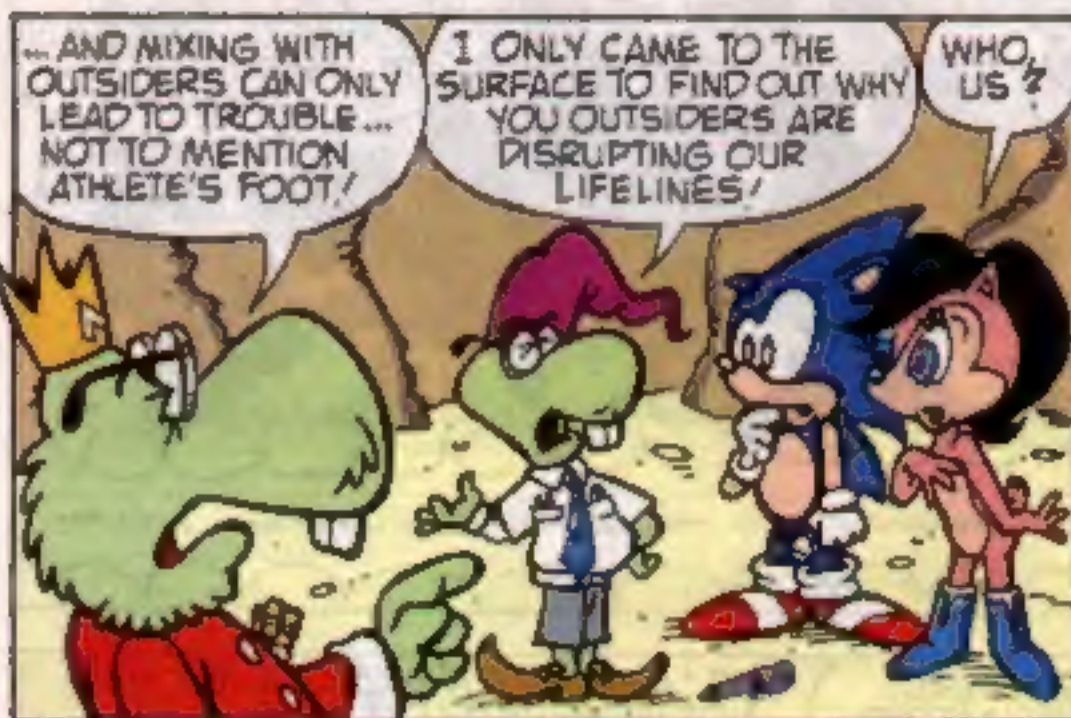
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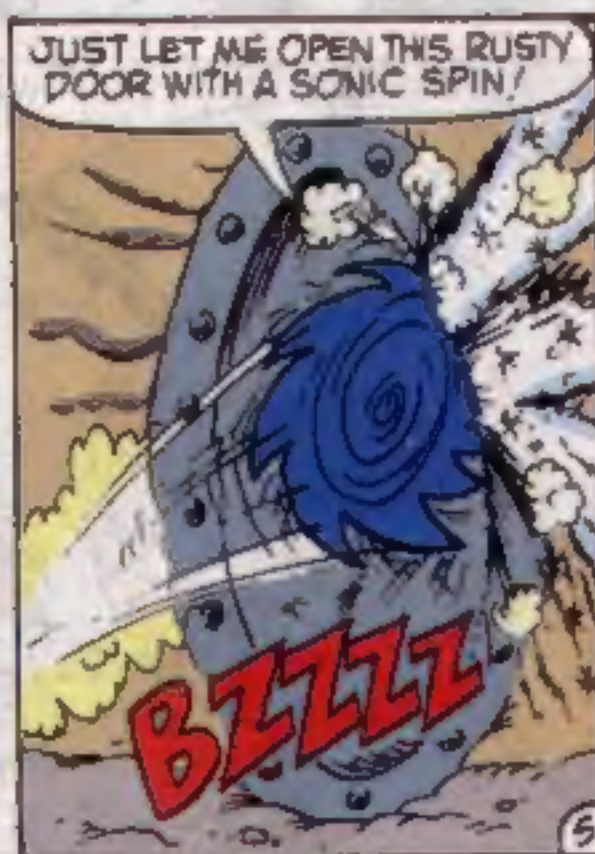
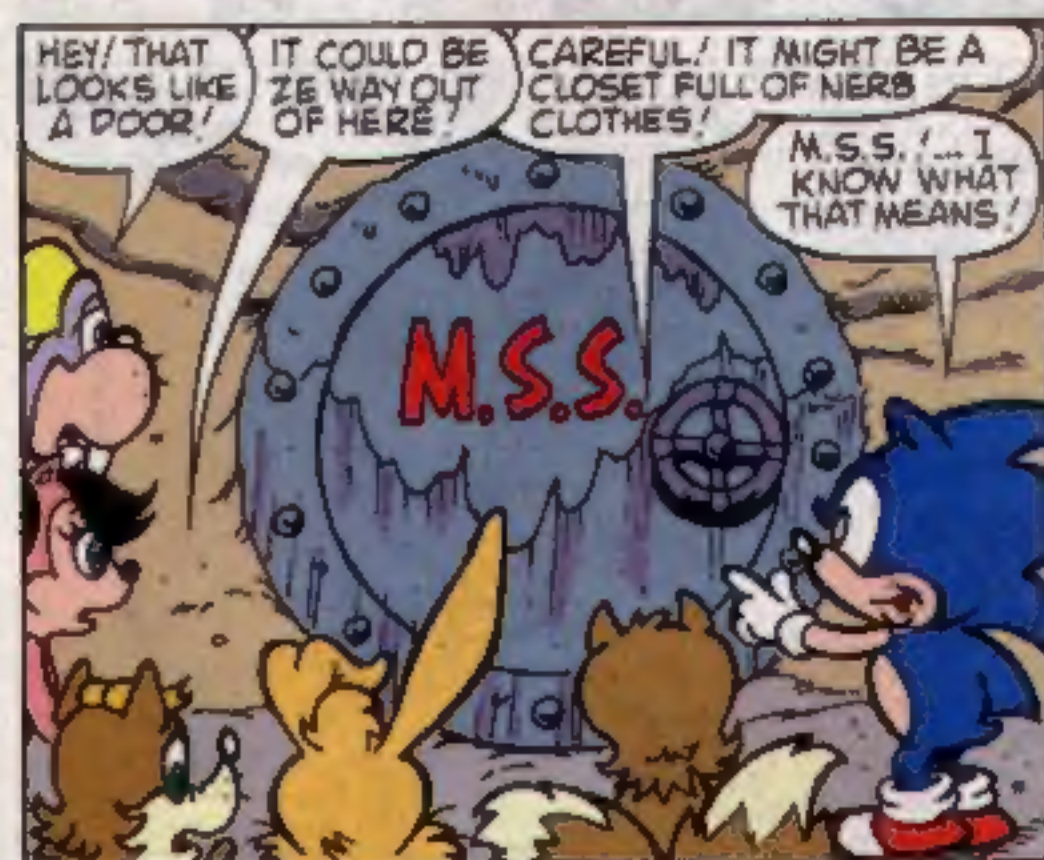
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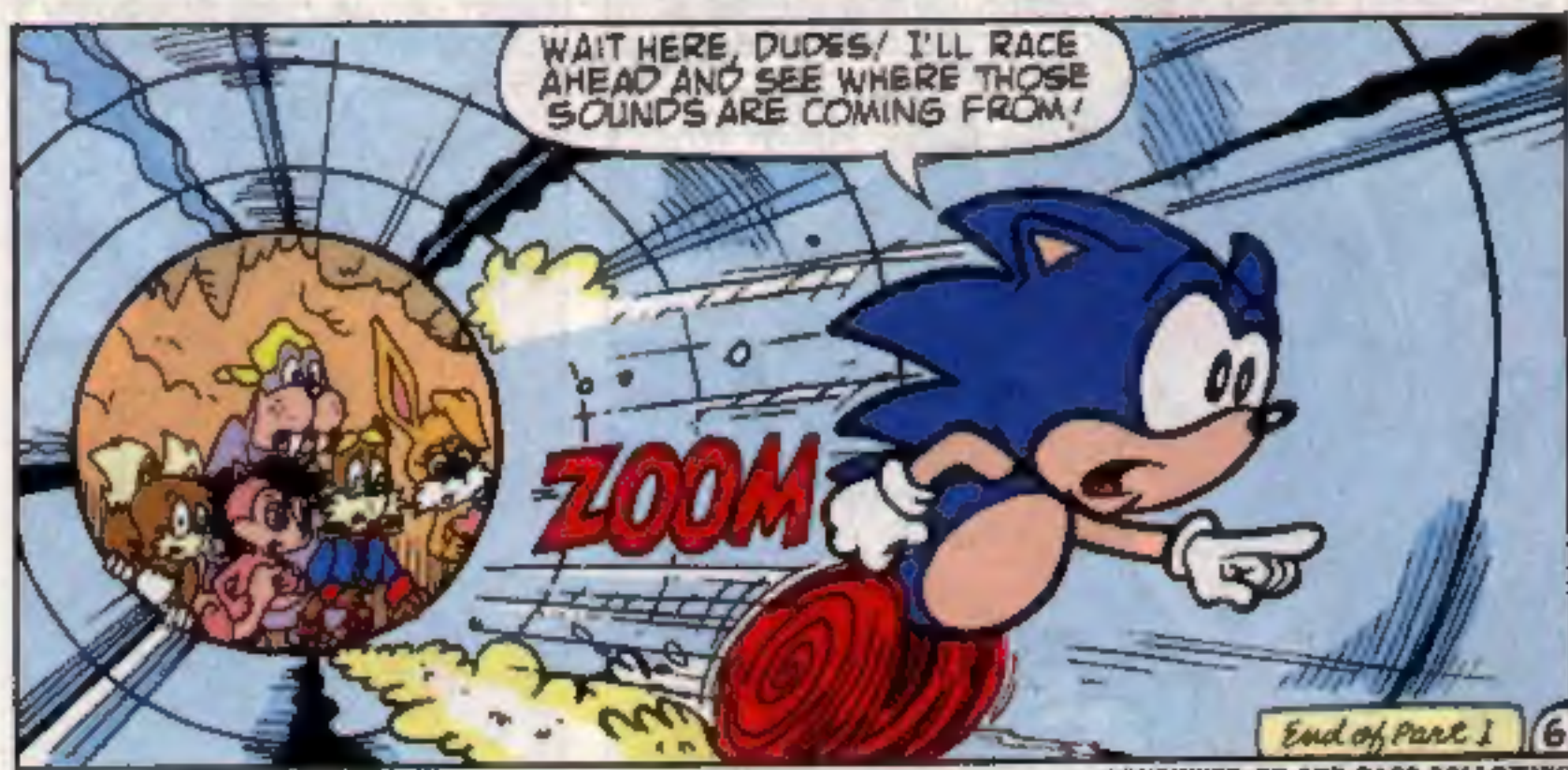
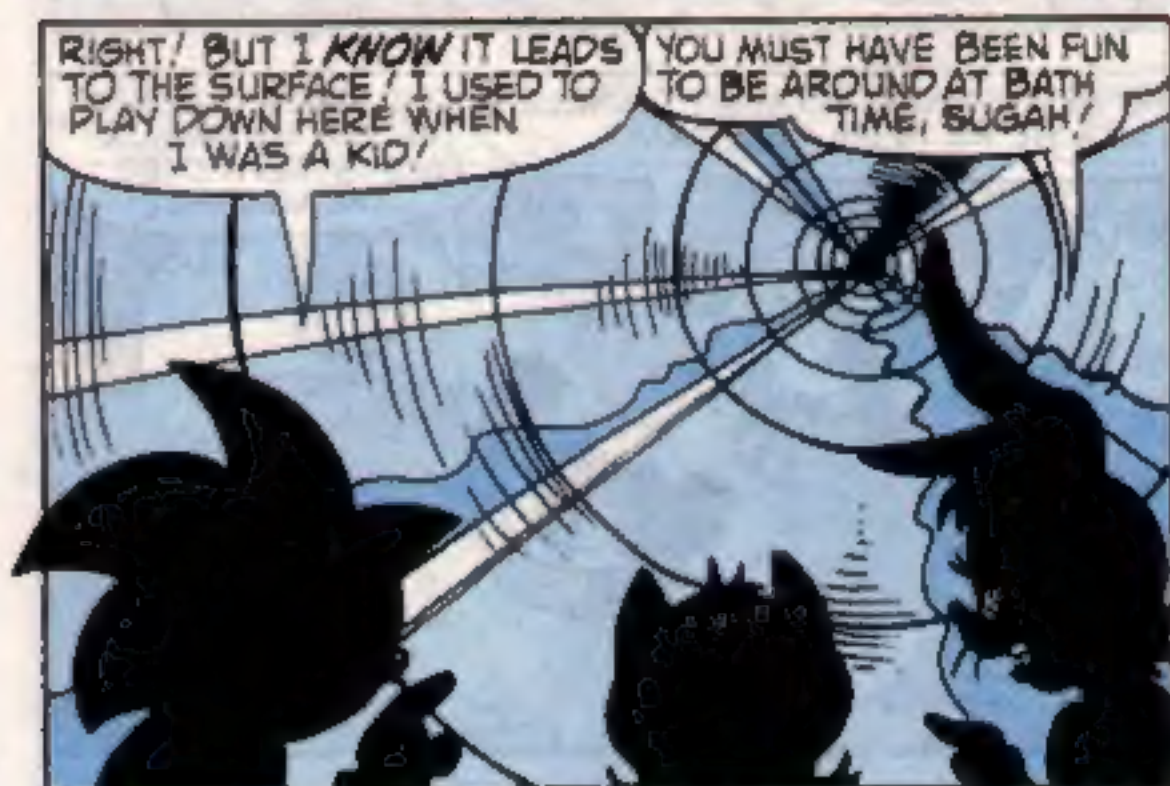
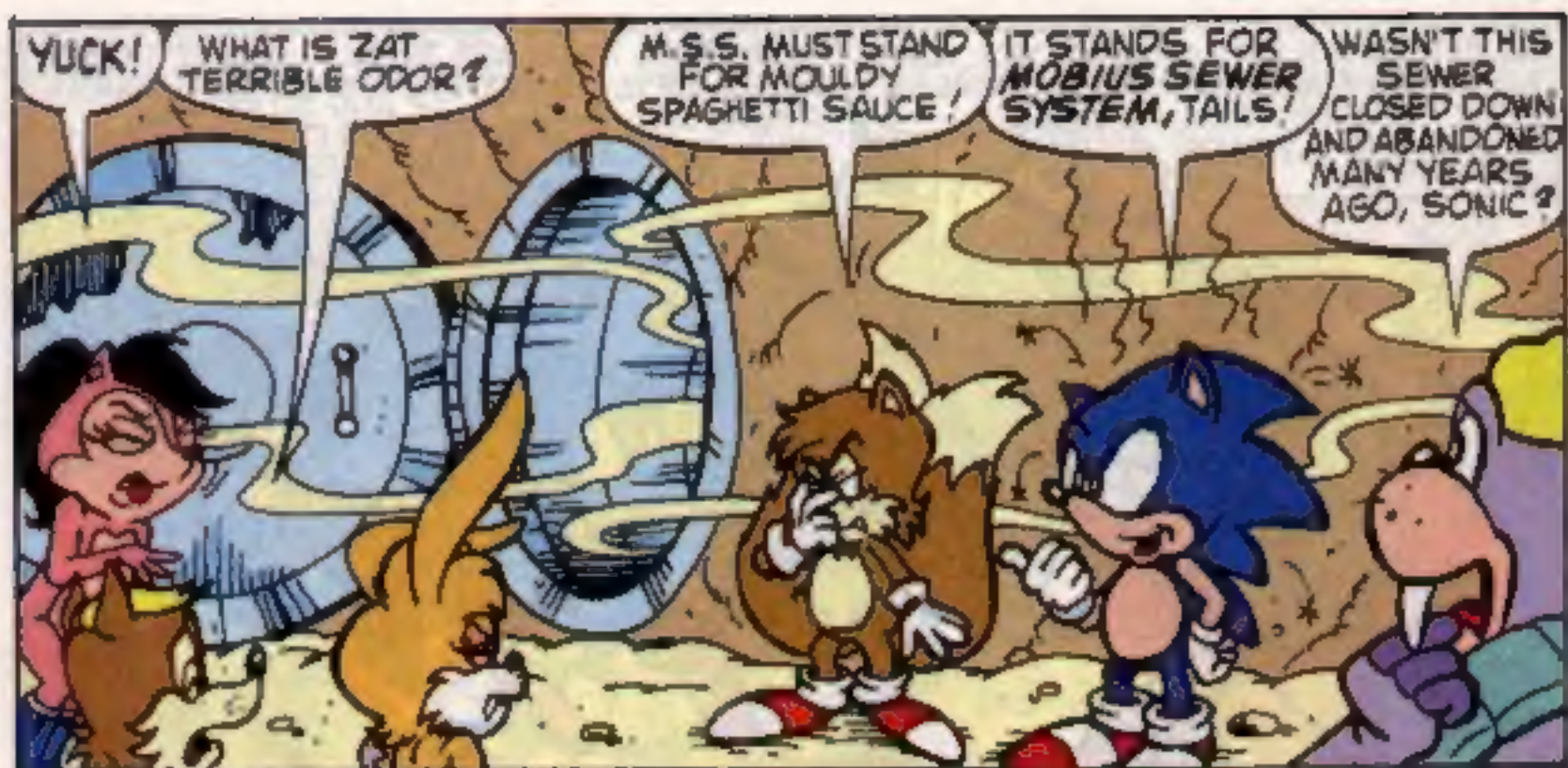
GULP! EXCEPT FOR THIS GIANT FORCE FIELD THAT'S FORMED AROUND US!

A FORCE FIELD?!









SONIC THE HEDGEHOG

IN REVENGE OF THE NERBS!

PART II

SO THAT'S HOW ROBOTNIK
DOES HIS UNDERGROUND
DIGGING, WITH A GIANT ROBOT
EXCAVATOR... DRIVEN BY
ROBOTNIK HIMSELF!

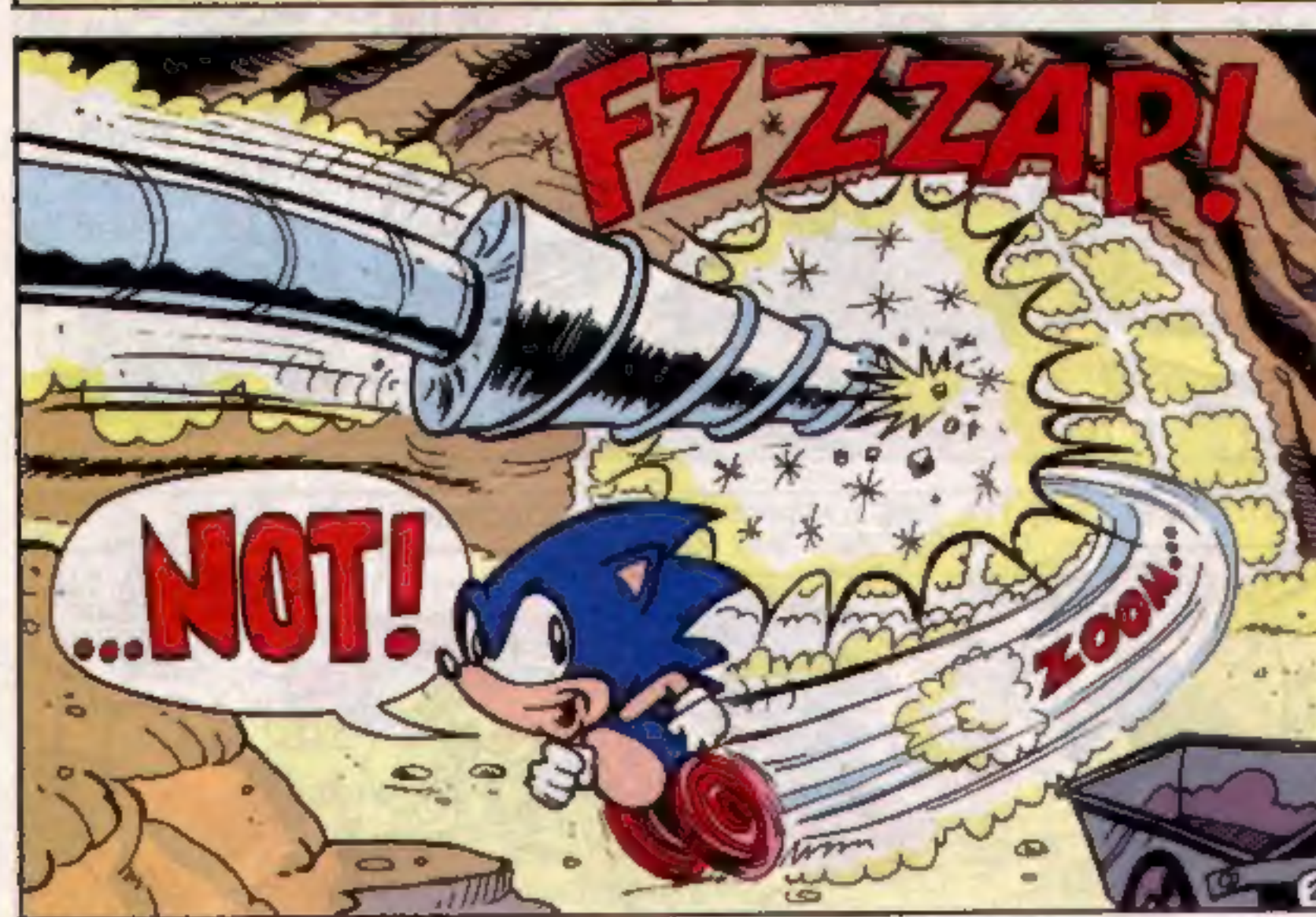
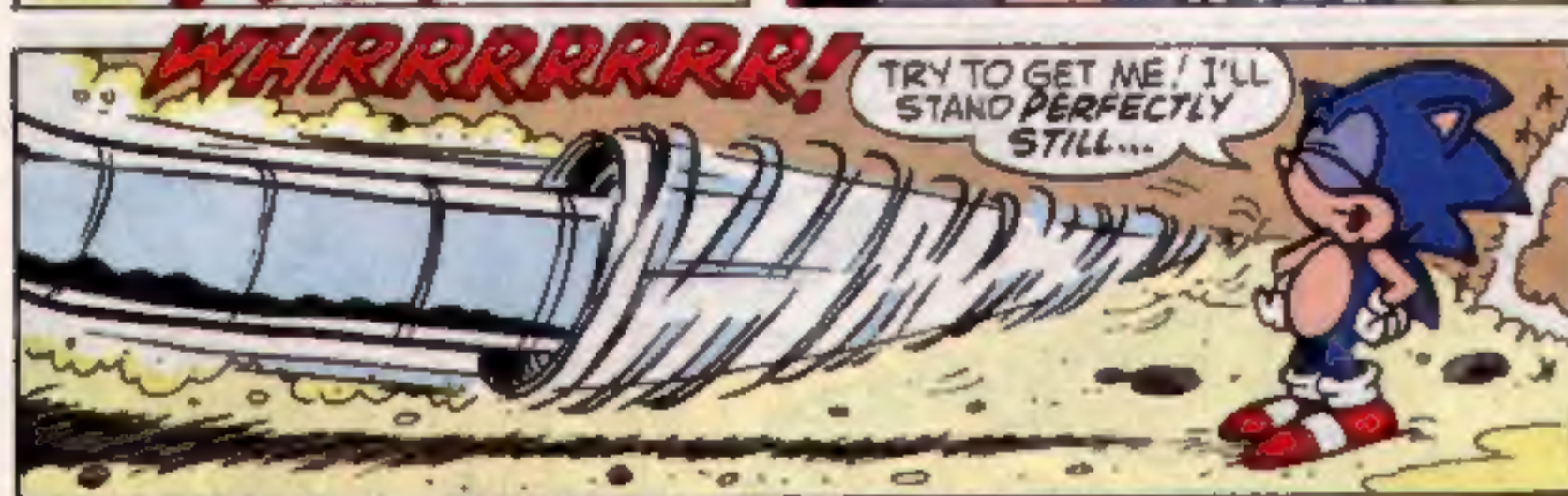
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LOVE THIS TOY! IT'S
50000 DESTRUCTIVE!

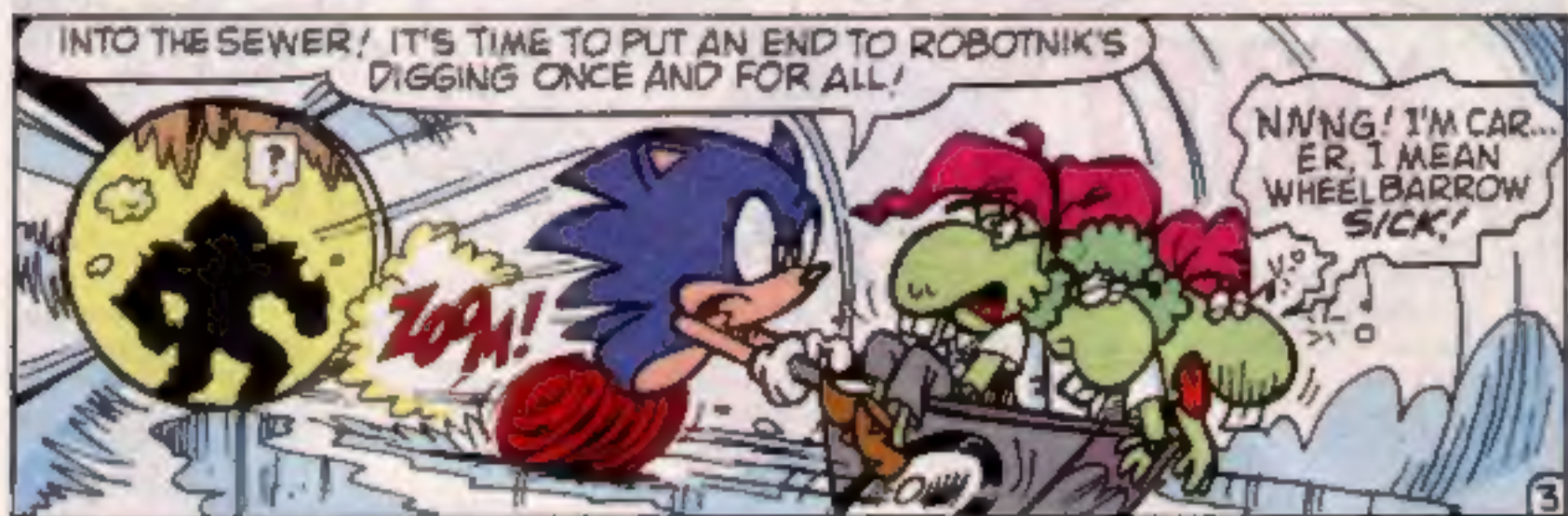
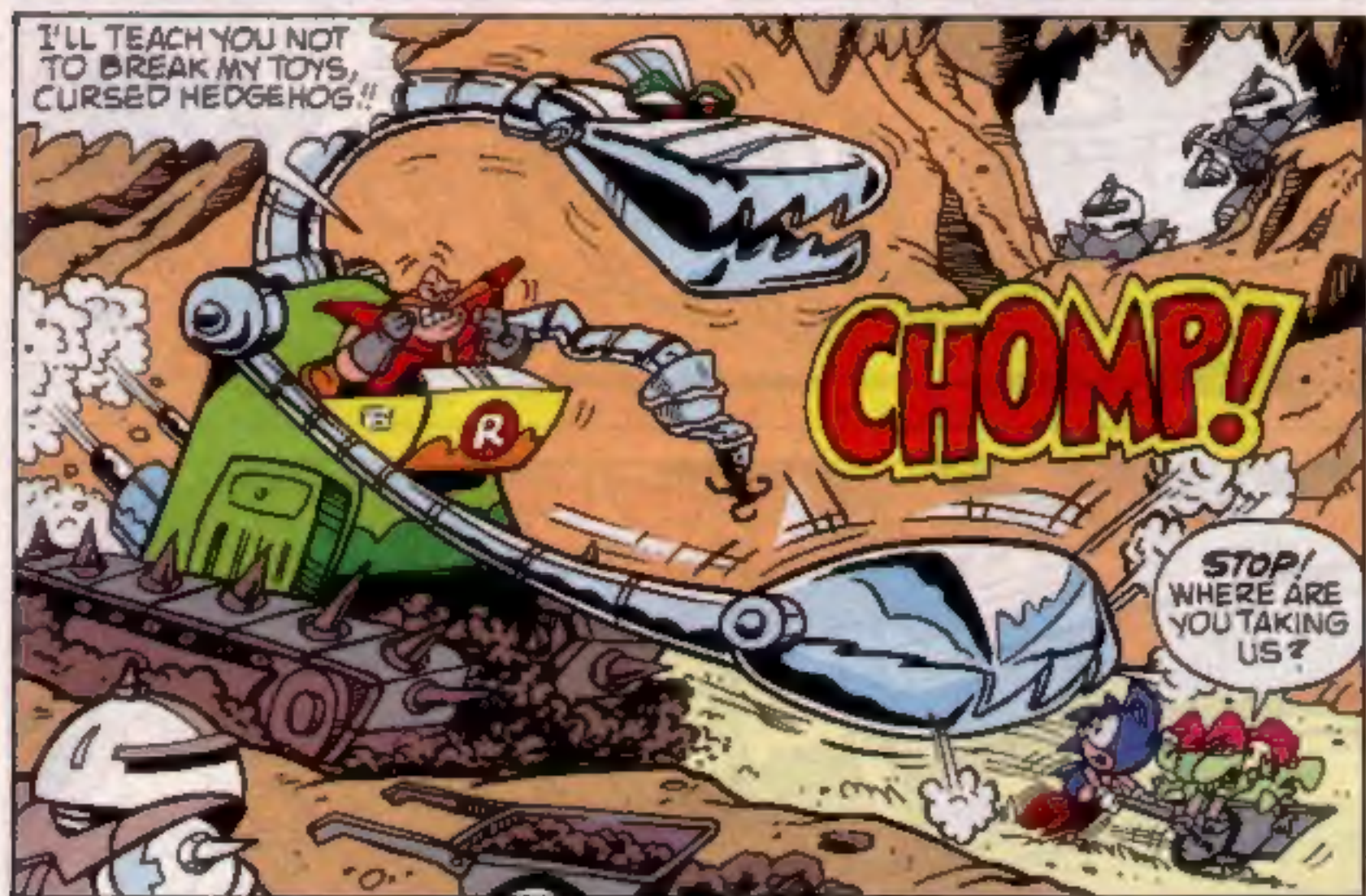
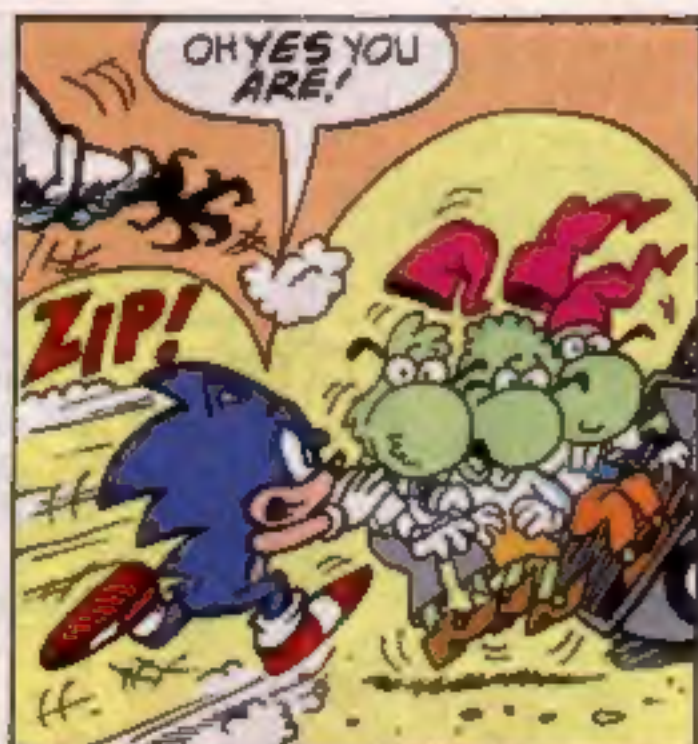
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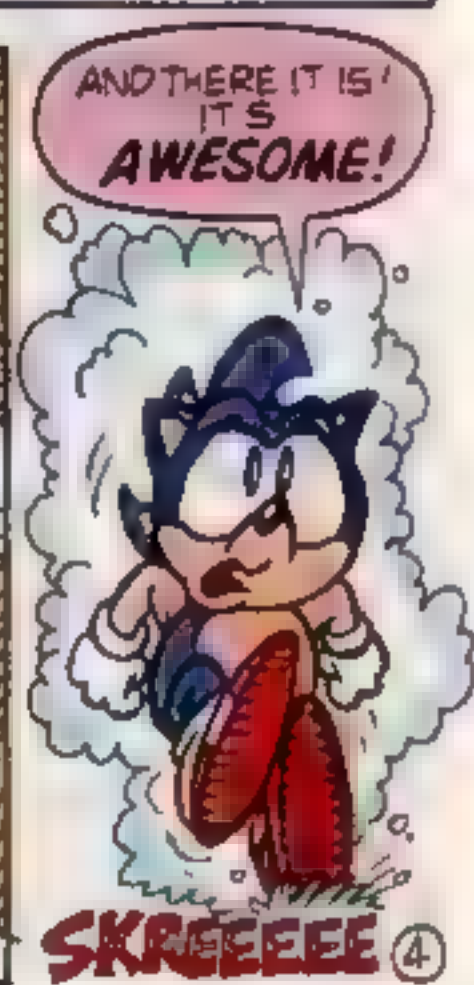
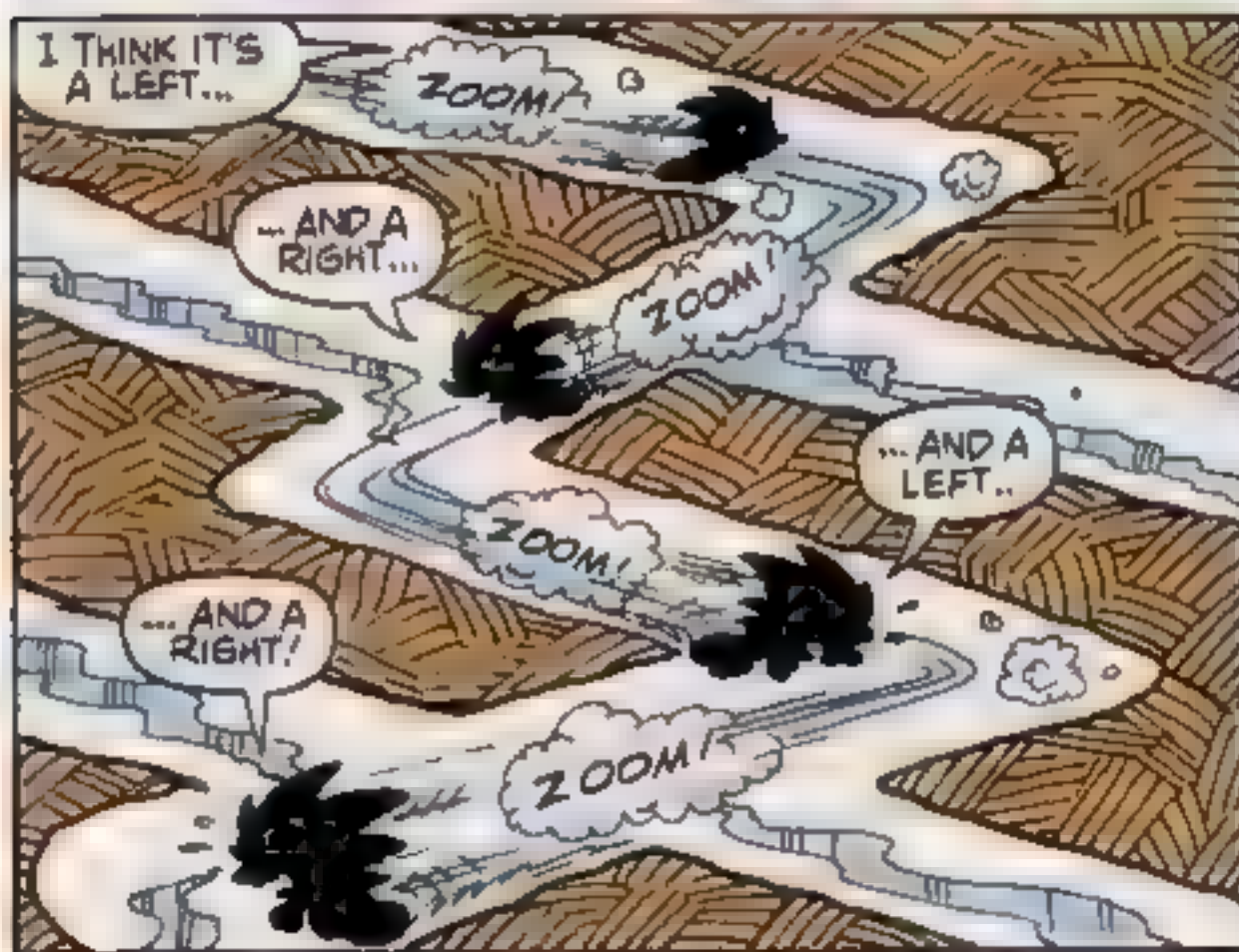
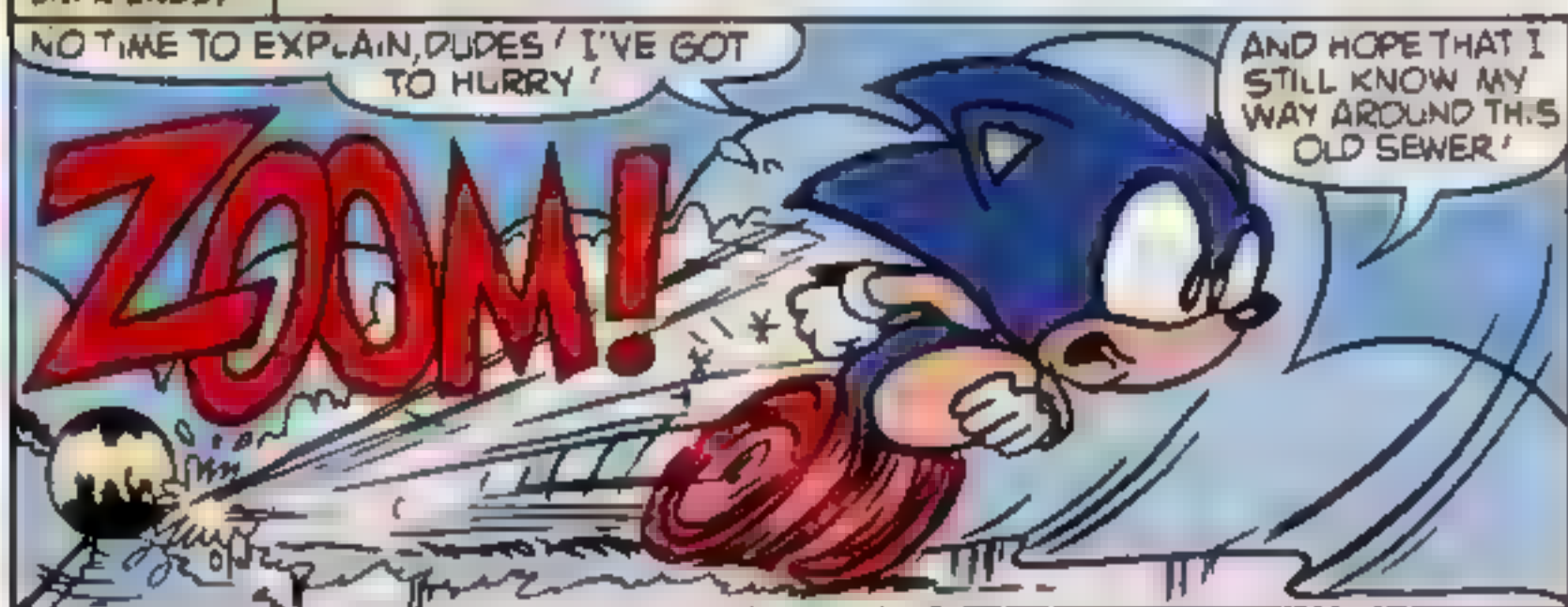
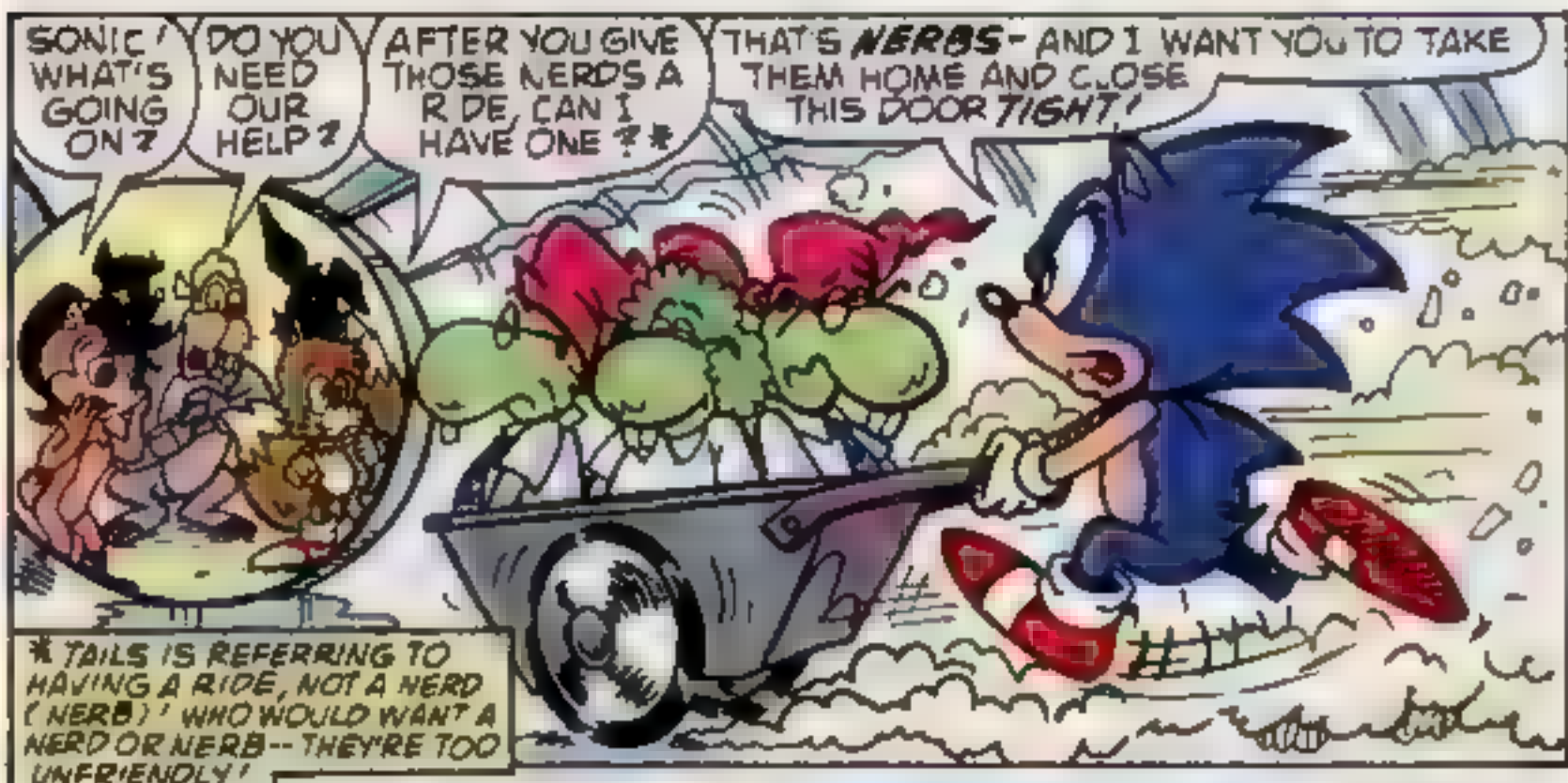
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THREE OF THE NERBS... ER, NERBS,
IN ONE OF HIS FORCE FIELDS!

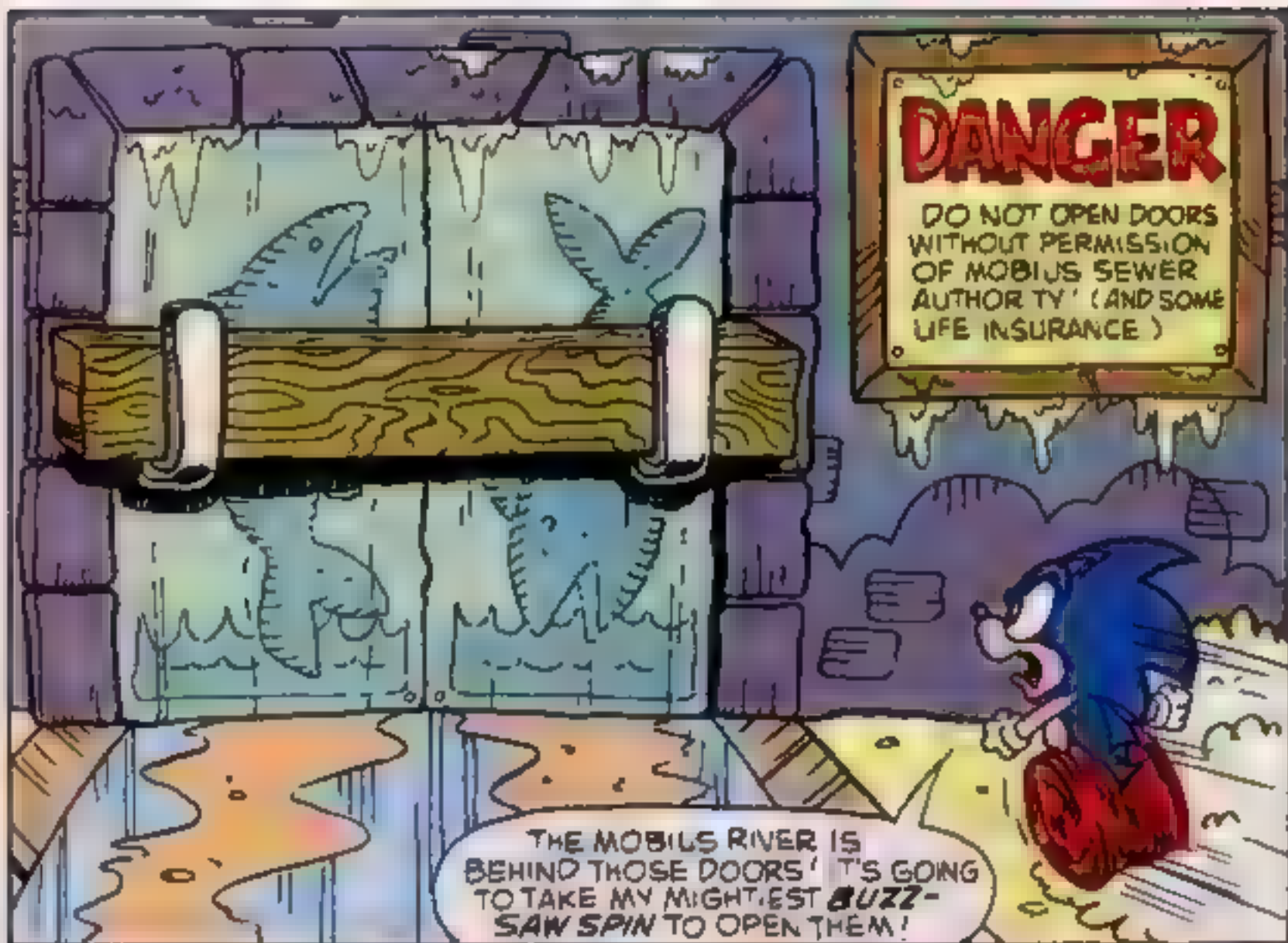
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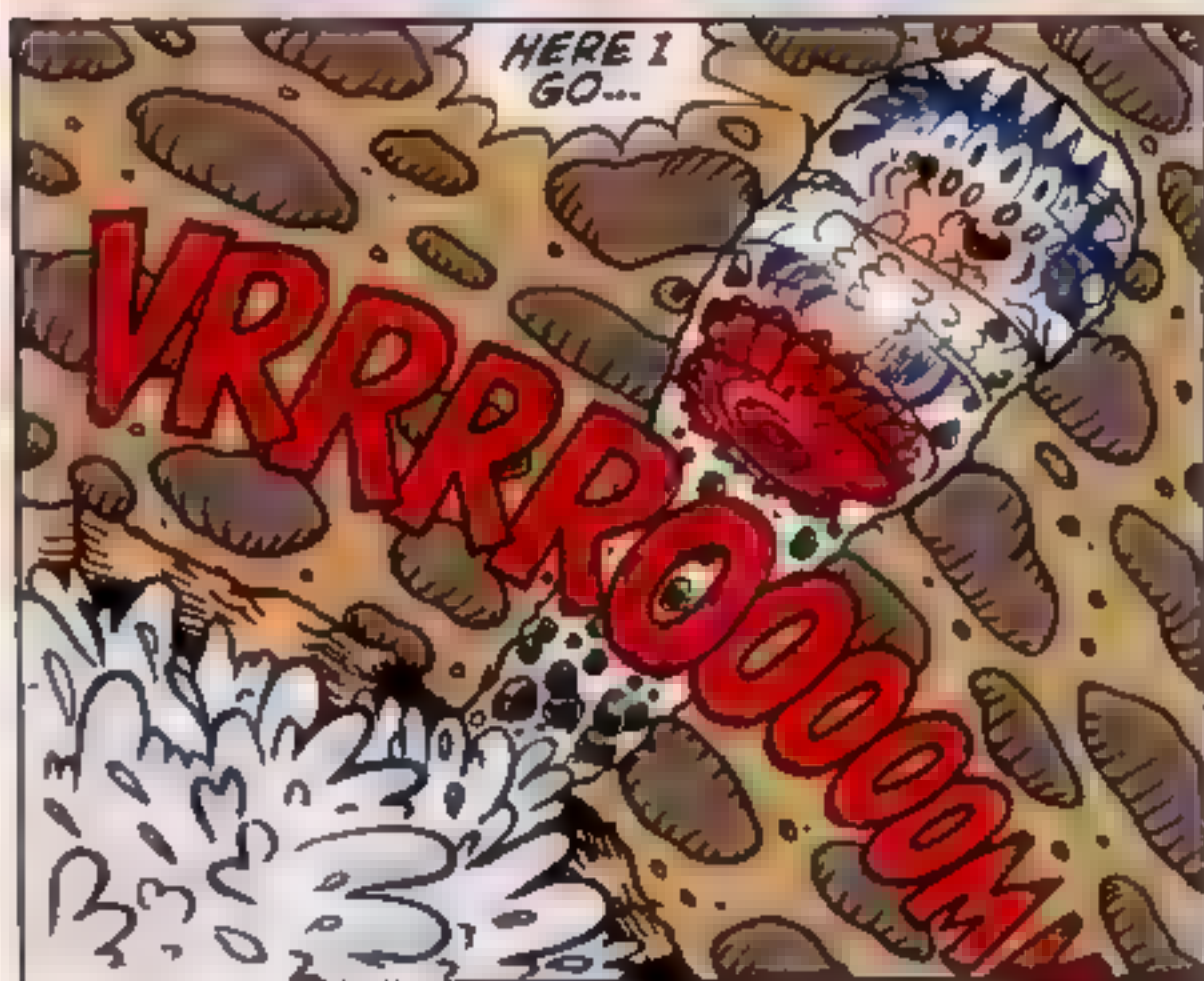
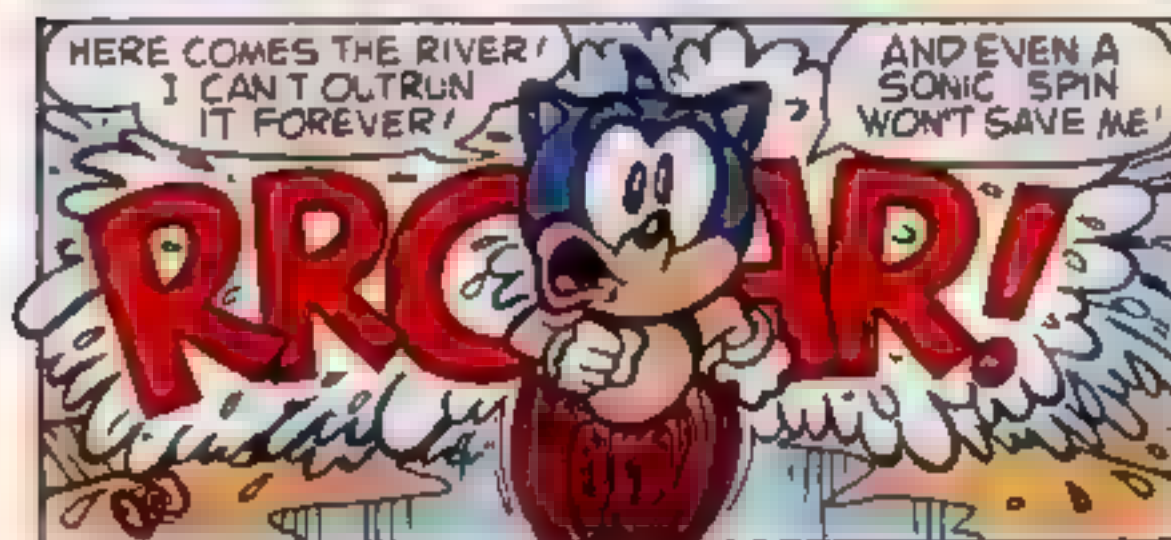
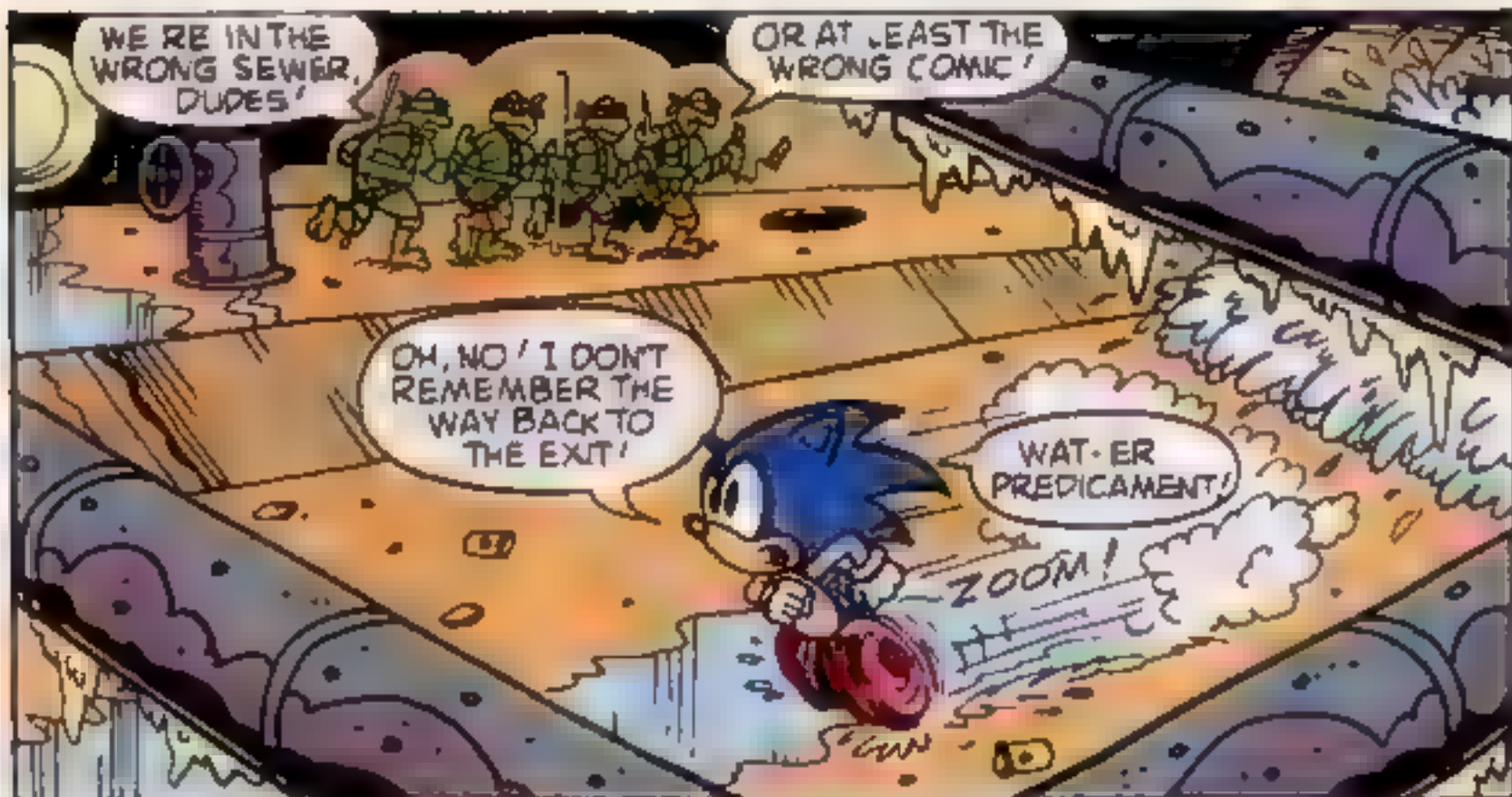
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HERE... BUT DON'T
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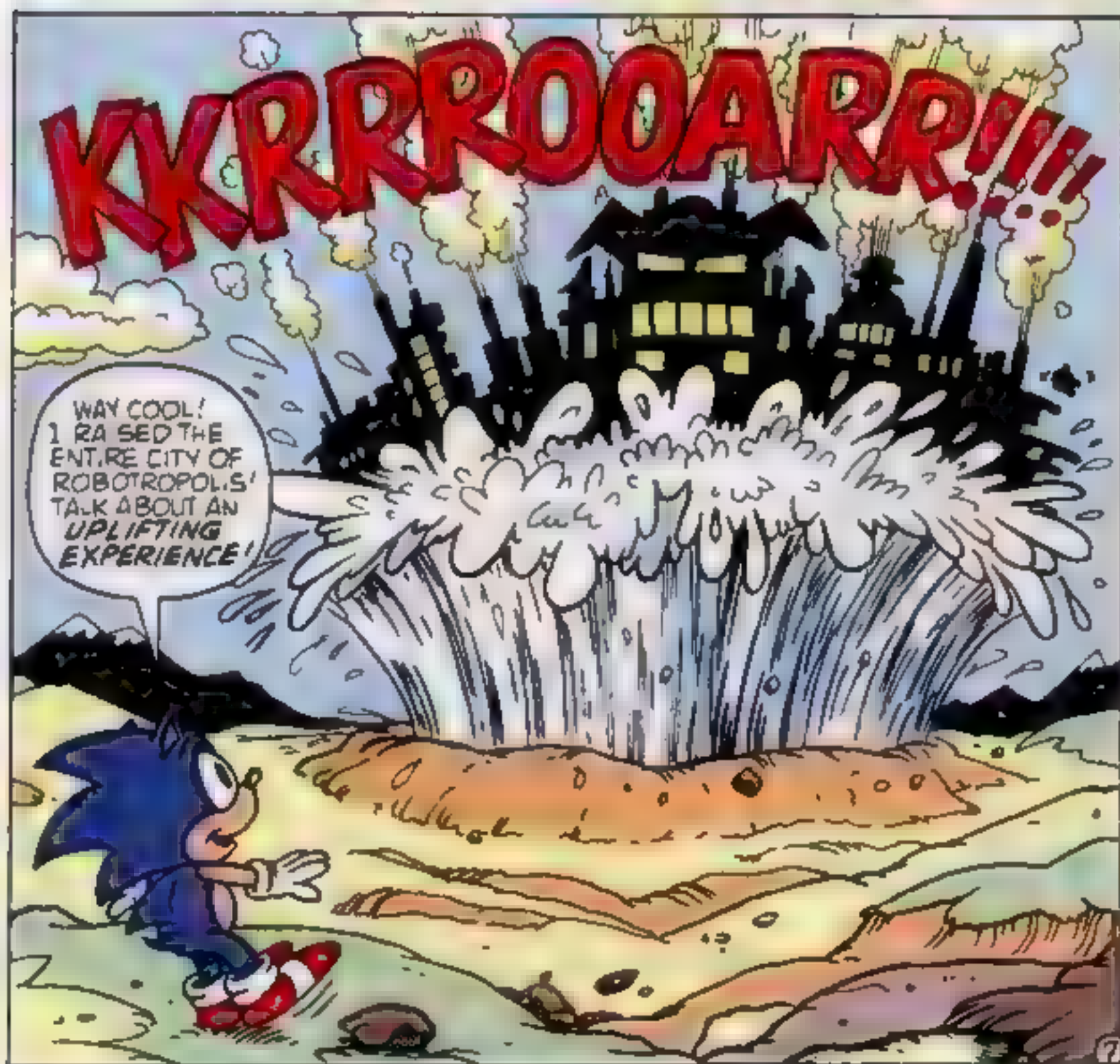
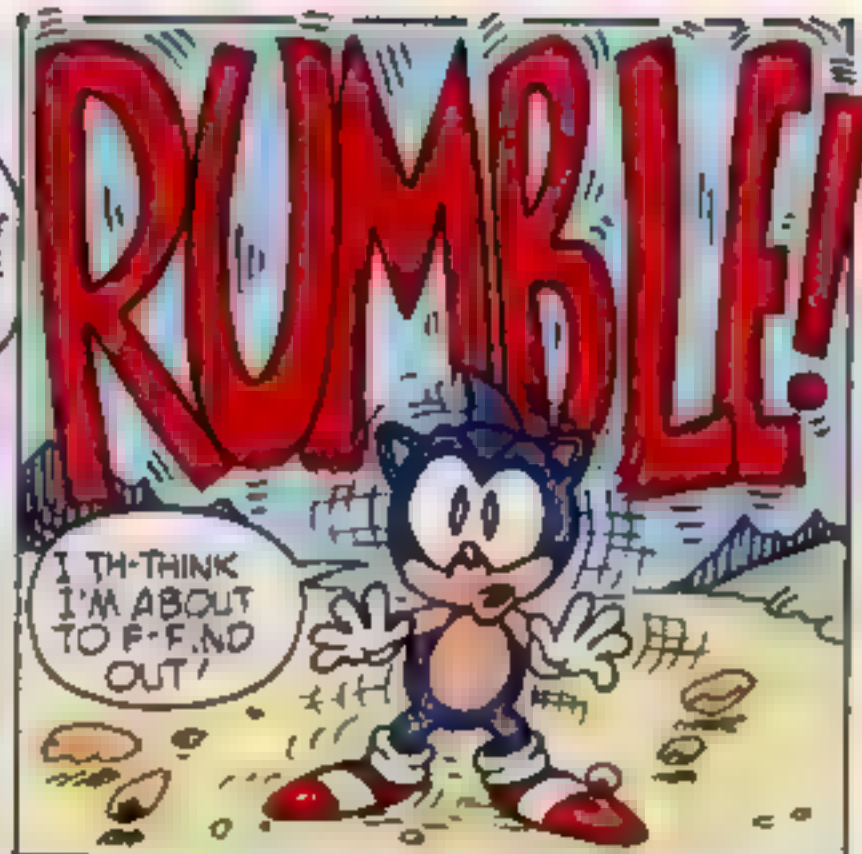
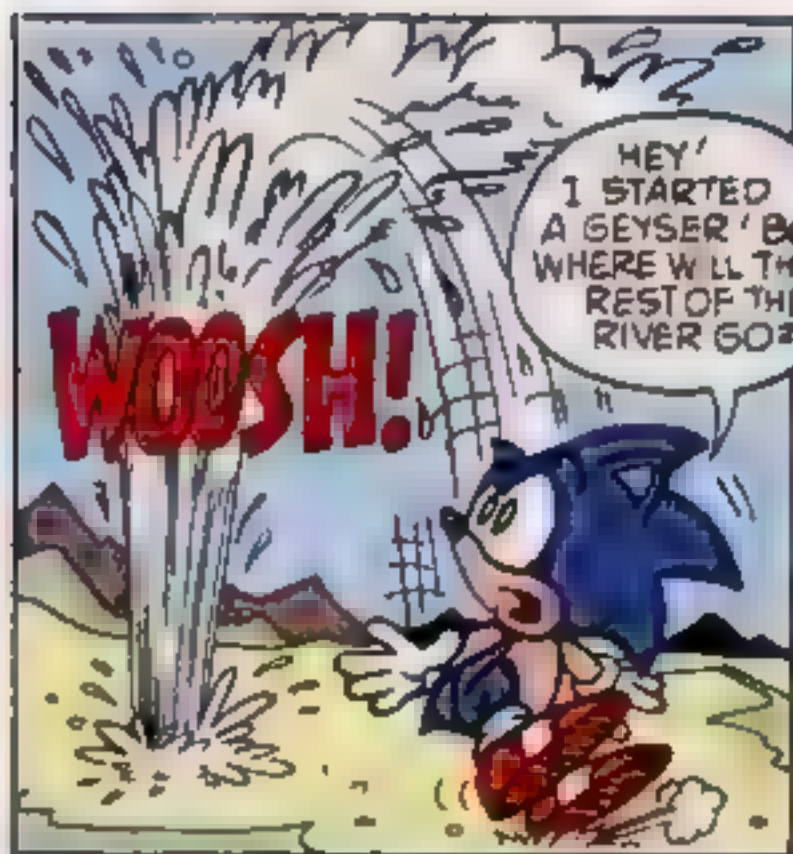


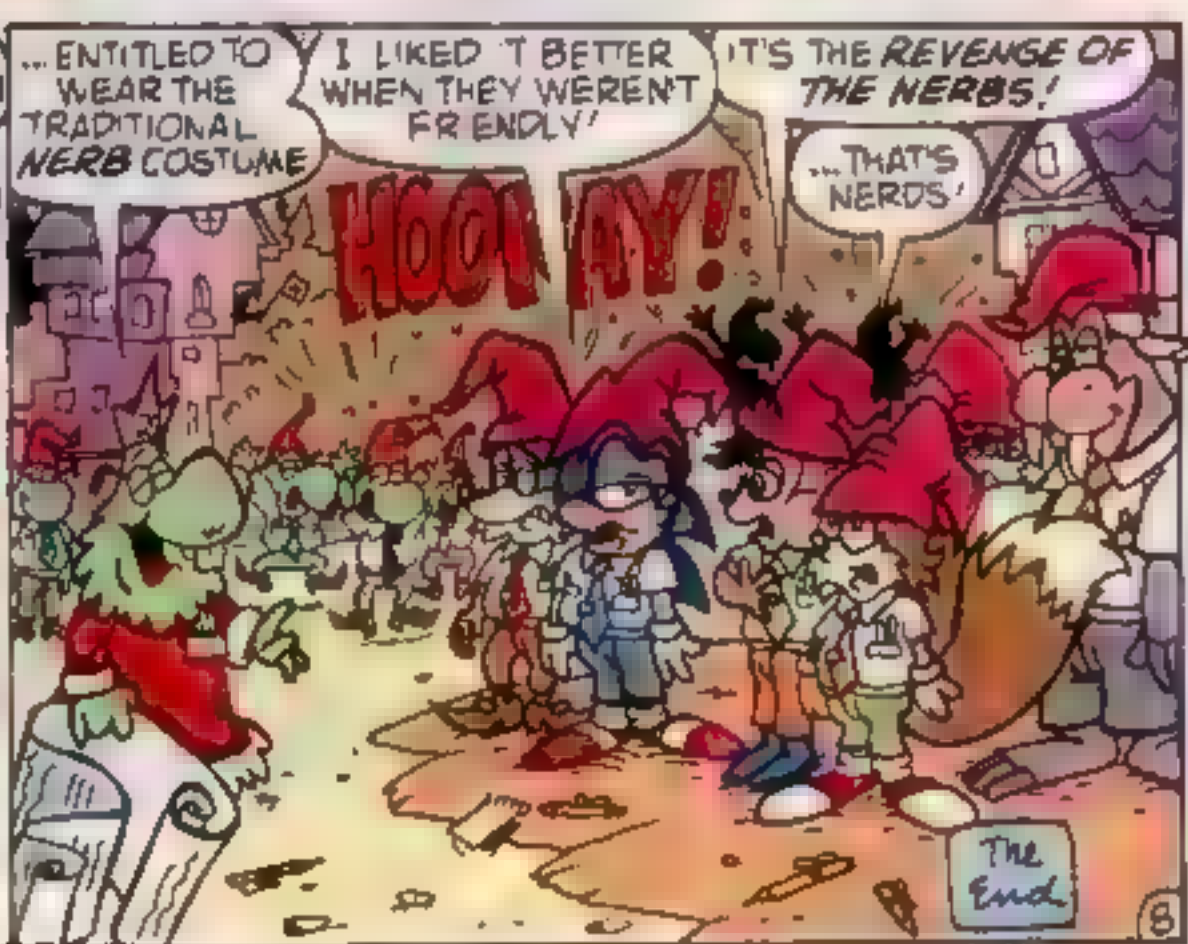
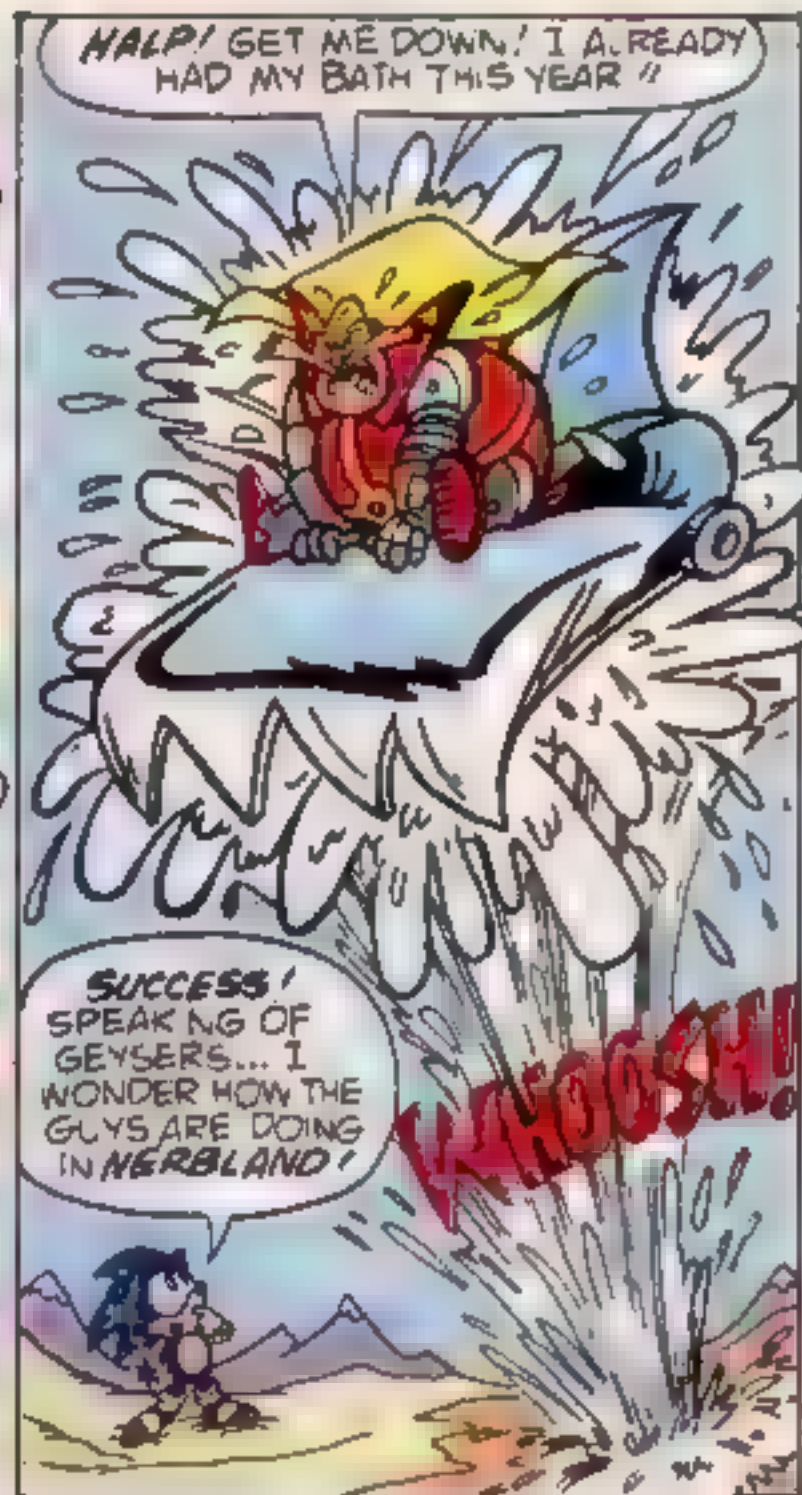
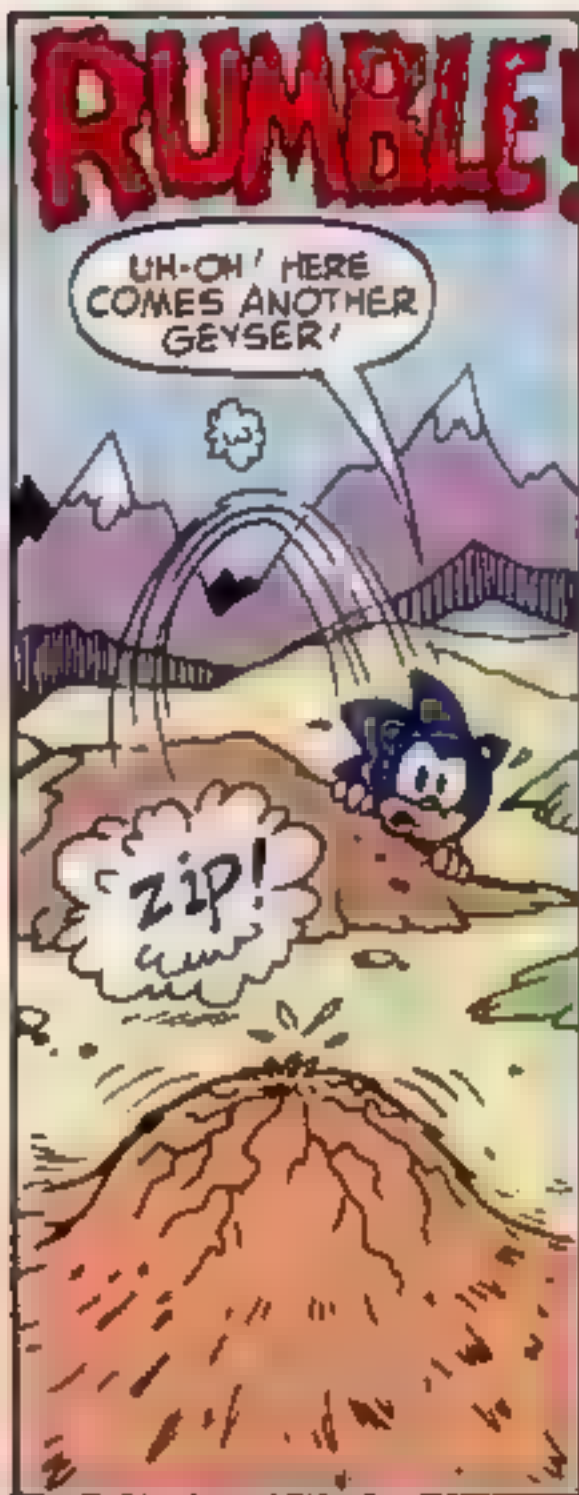










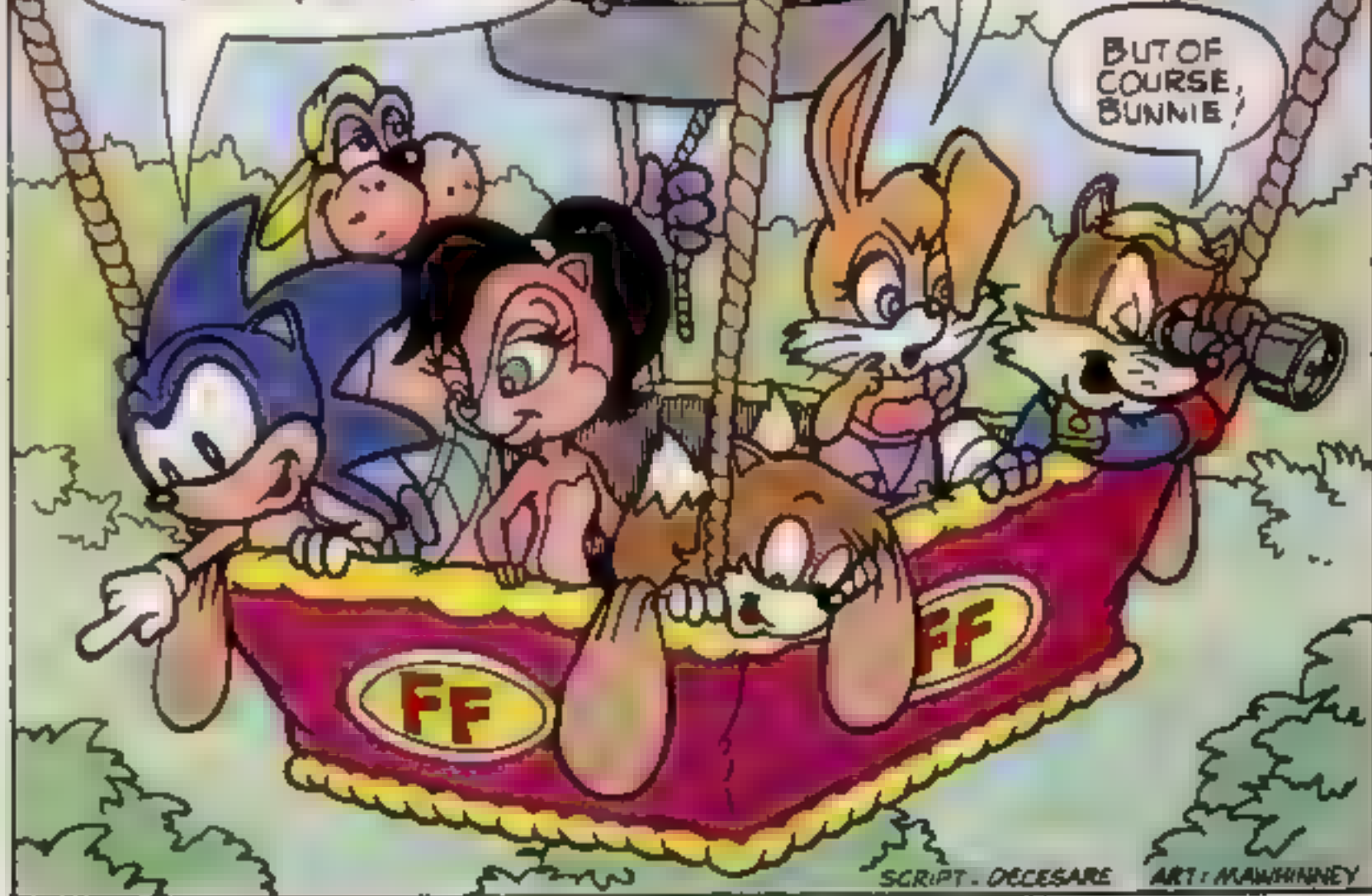


SONIC THE HEDGEHOG IN "TWAN WITH THE WIND"

THAT LOOKS LIKE A GOOD SPOT FOR OUR FREEDOM FIGHTERS ANNUAL PICNIC, SALLY!

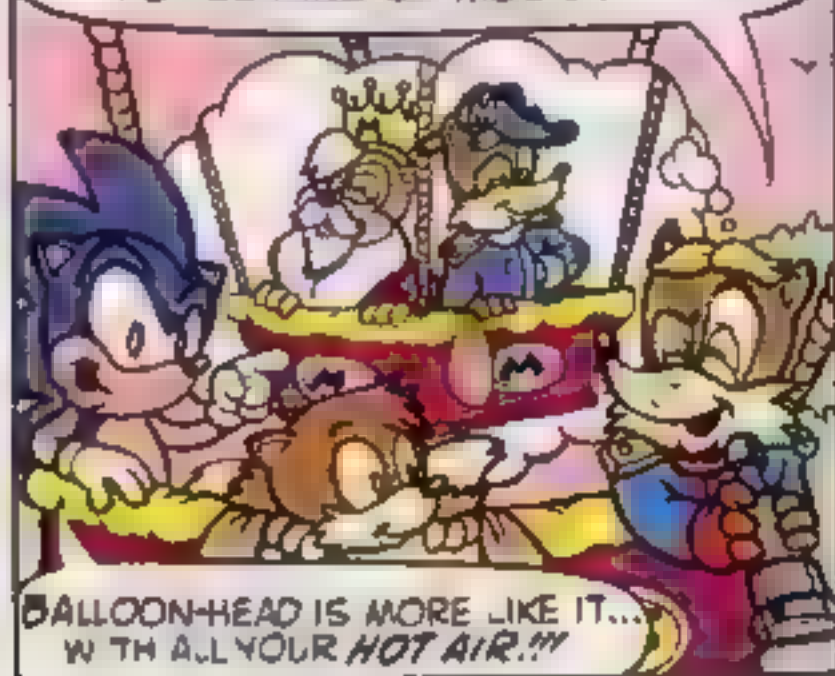
ARE Y' ALL SURE THIS BALLOON IS SAFE, ANTOINE??

BUT OF COURSE, BUNNIE!



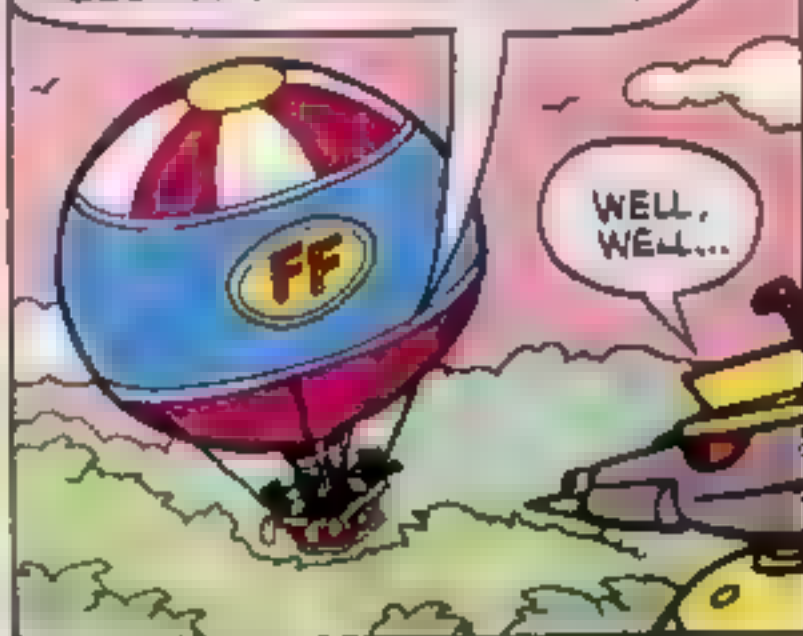
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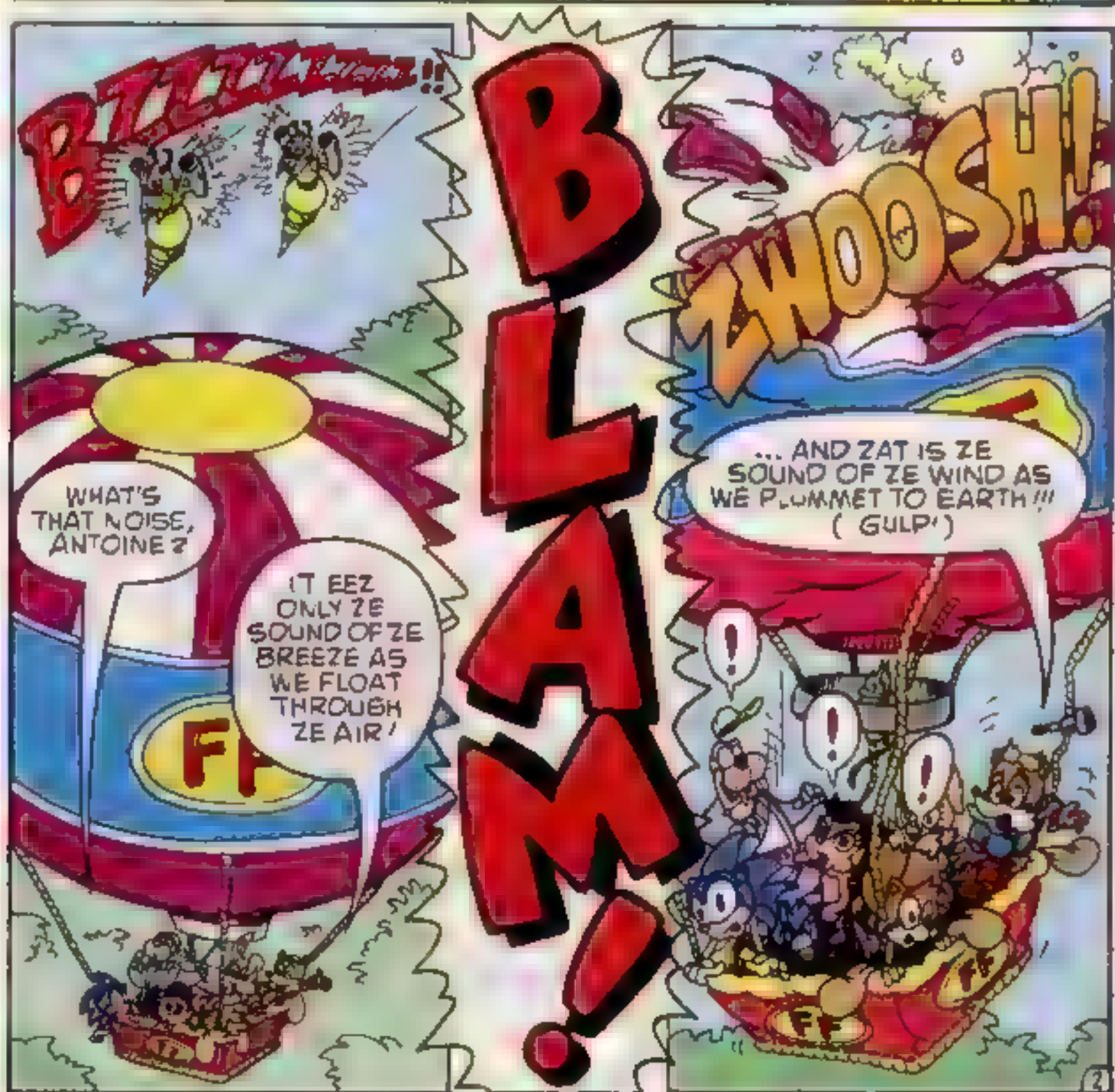
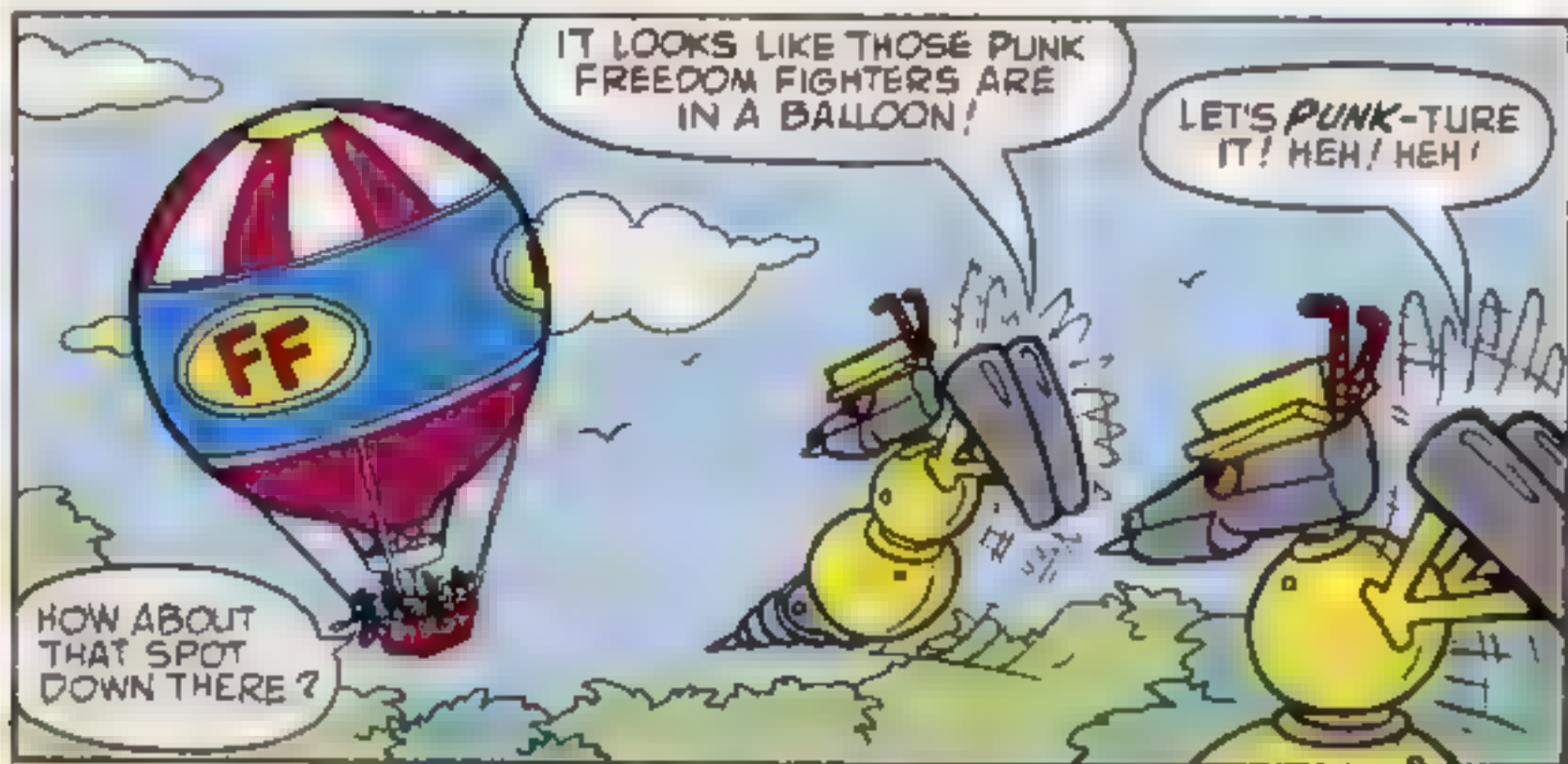
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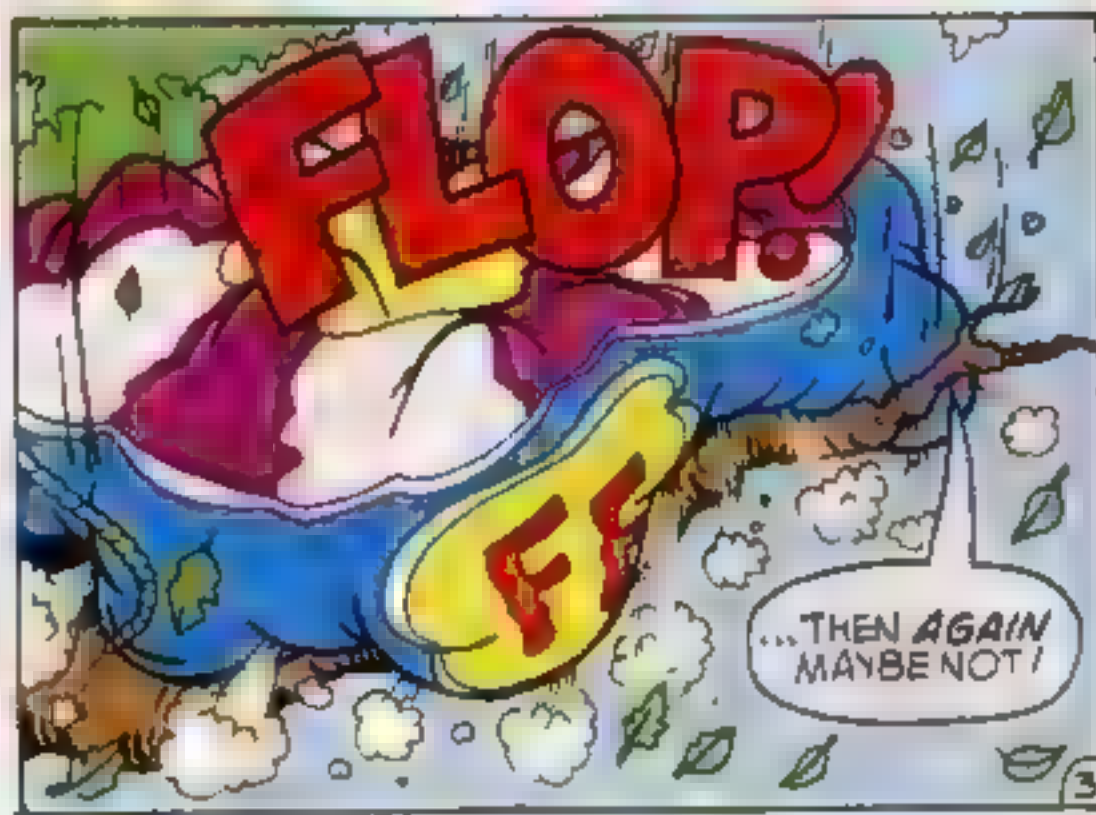
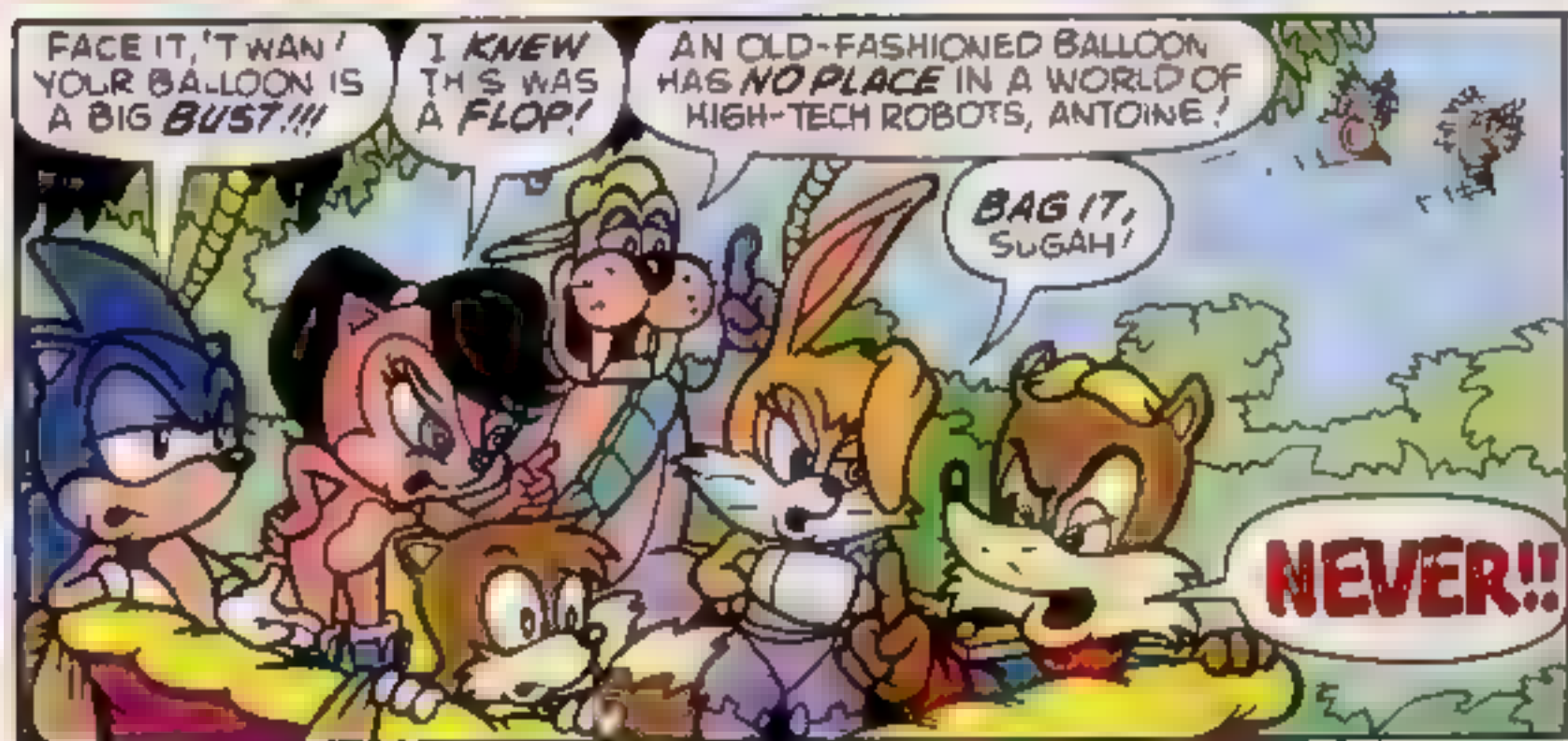
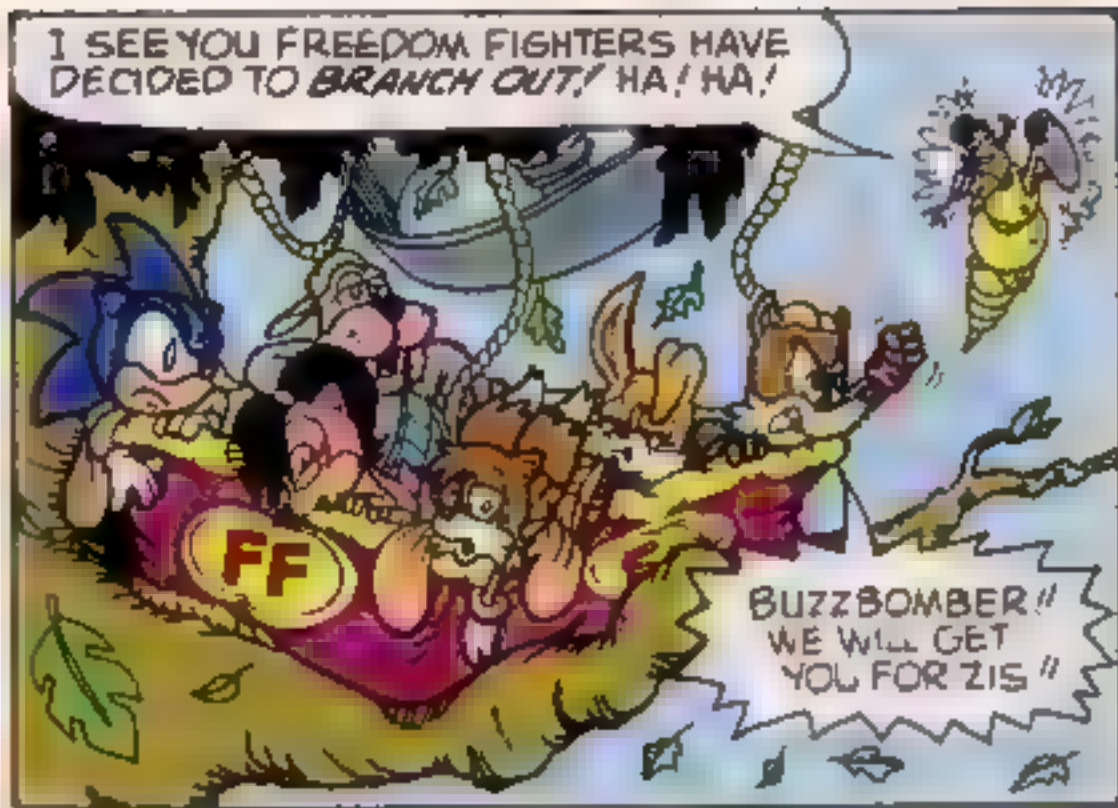


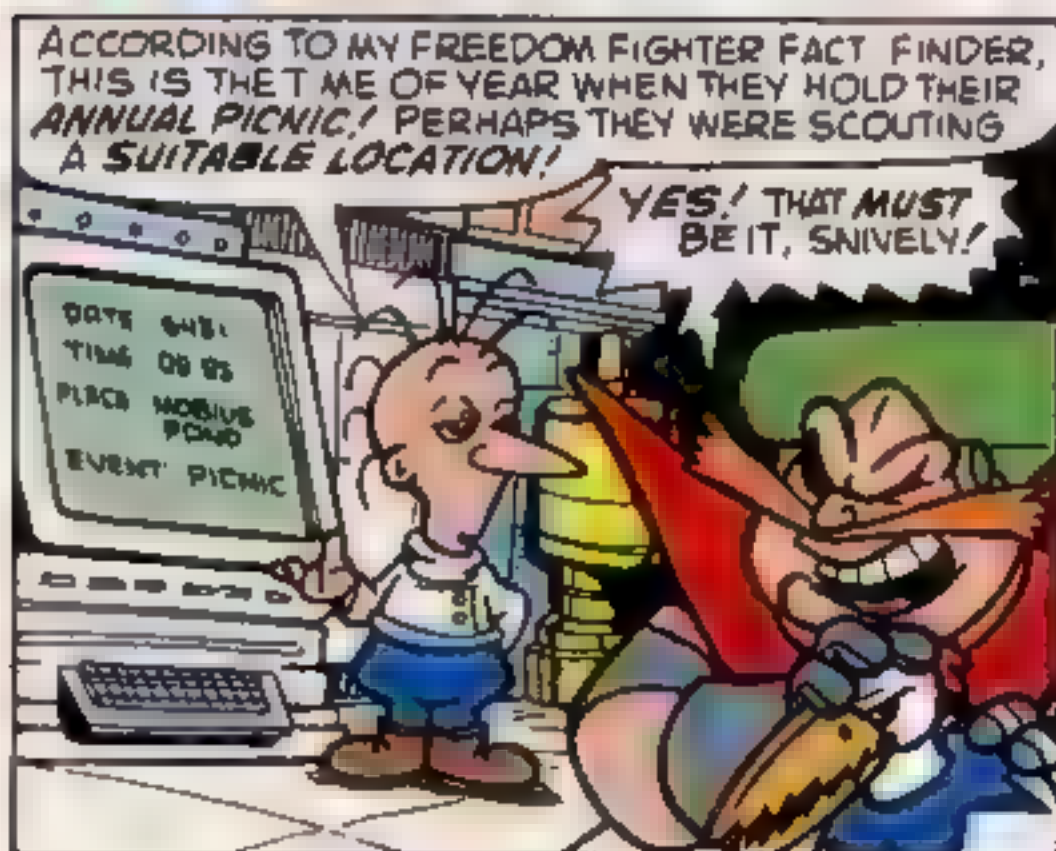
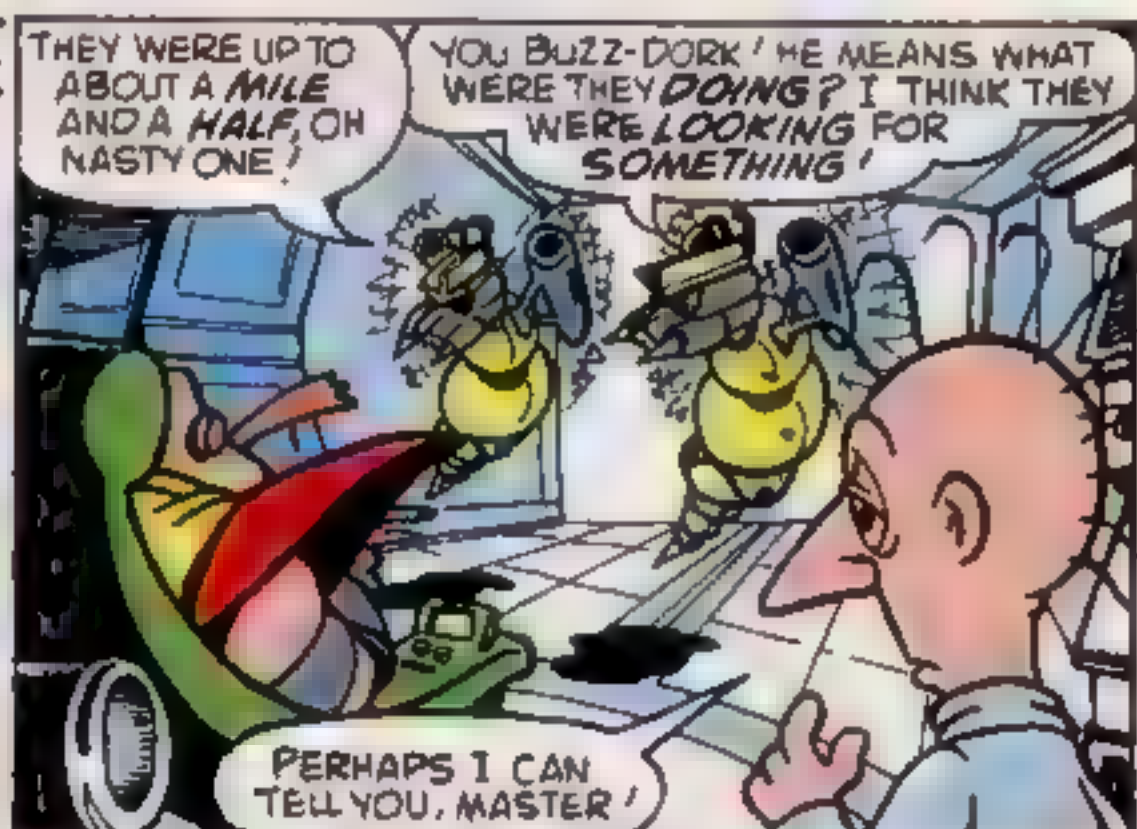
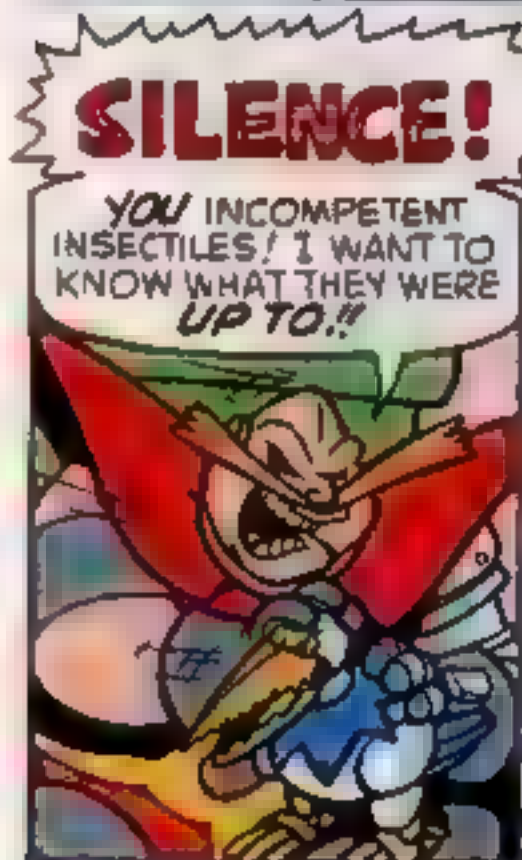
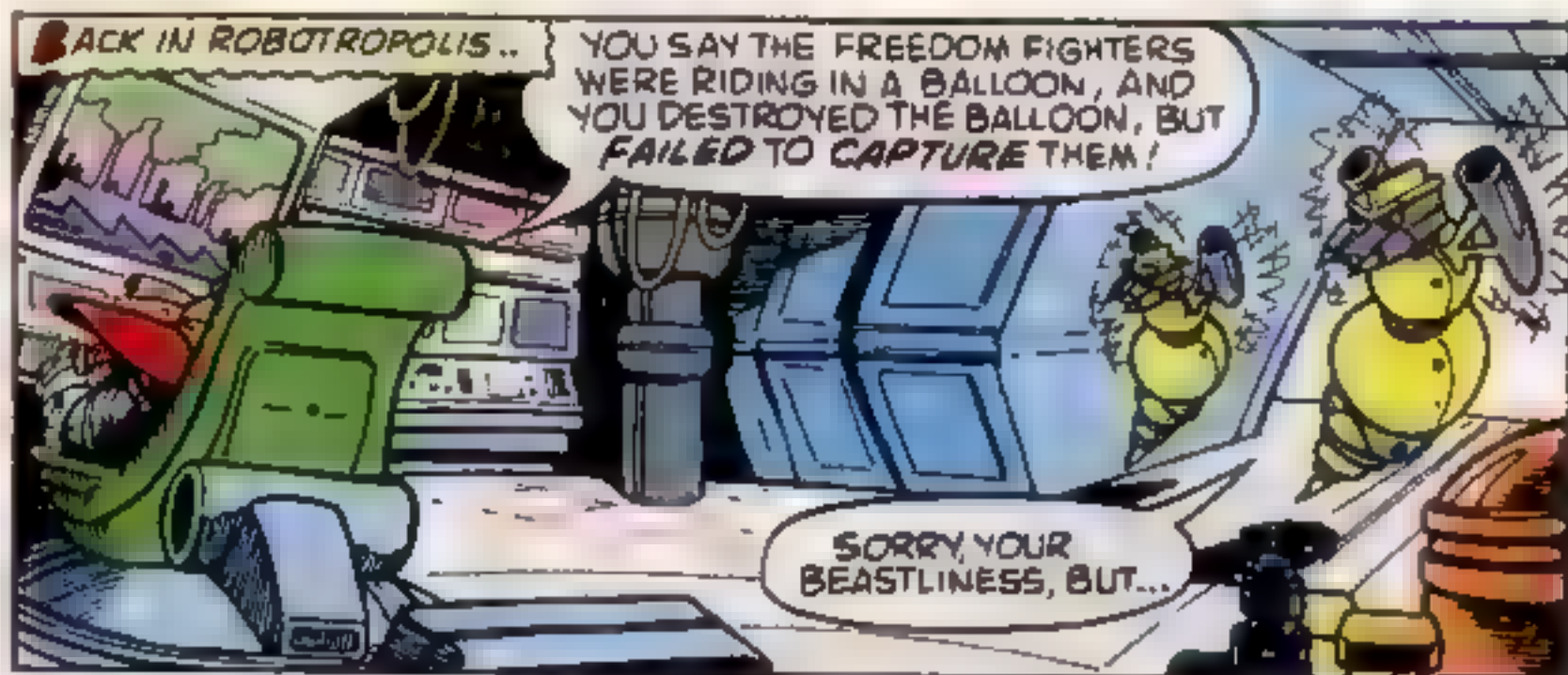
BALLOON-HEAD IS MORE LIKE IT... WITH ALL YOUR HOT AIR!!!

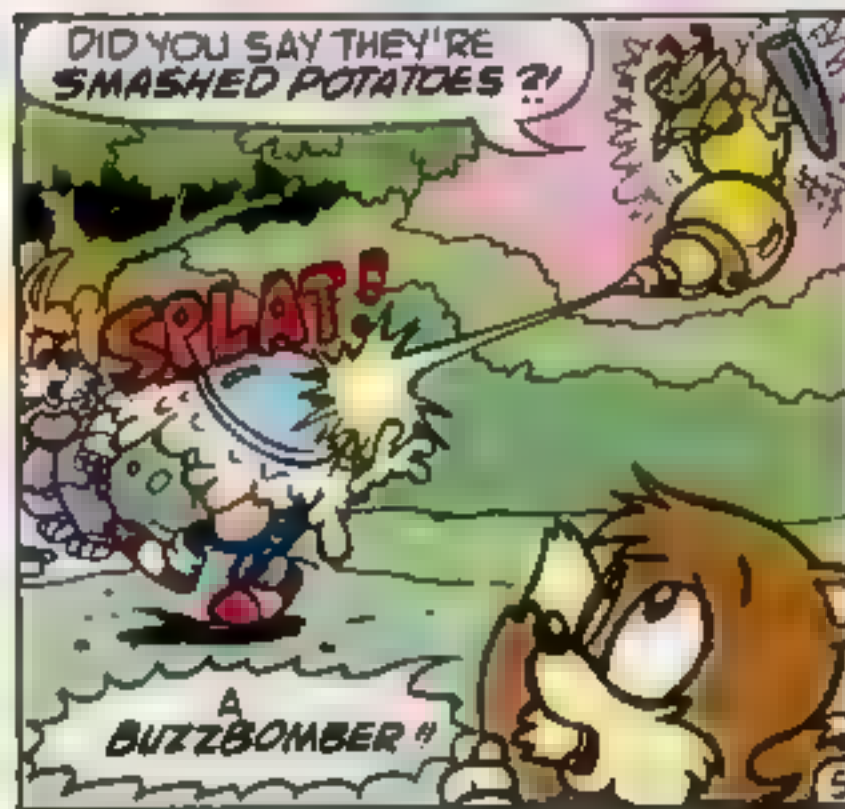
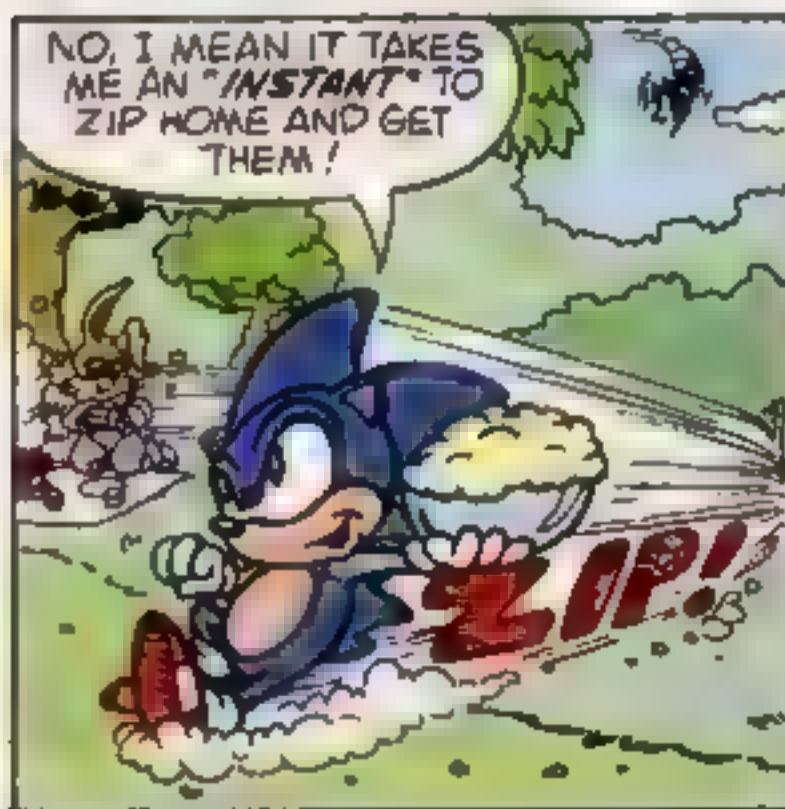
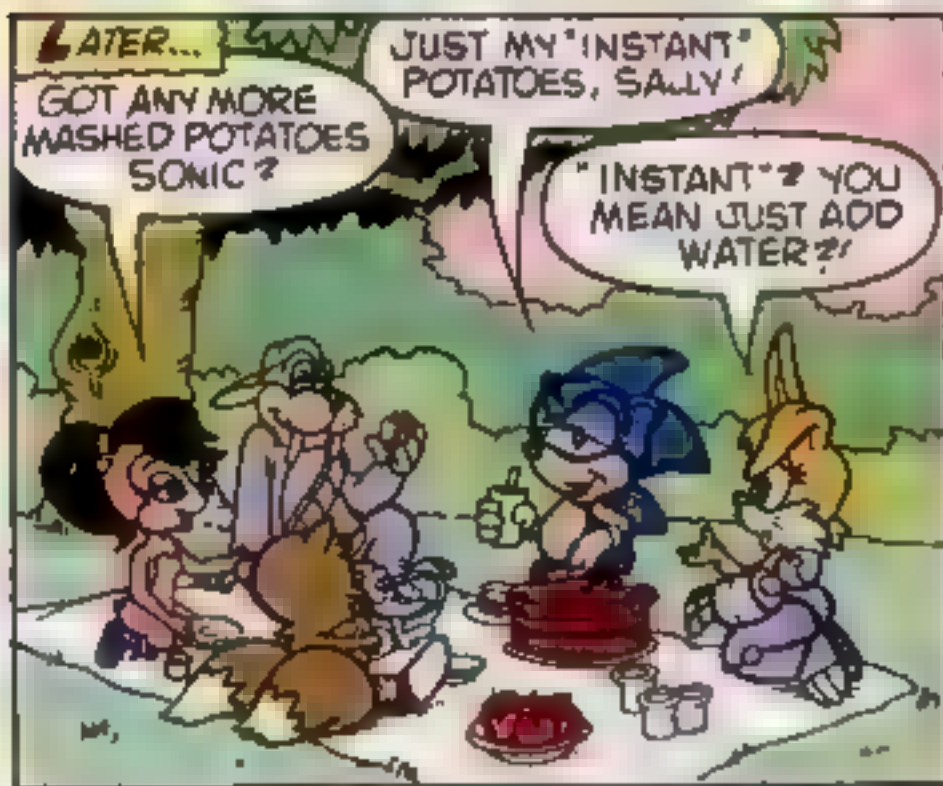
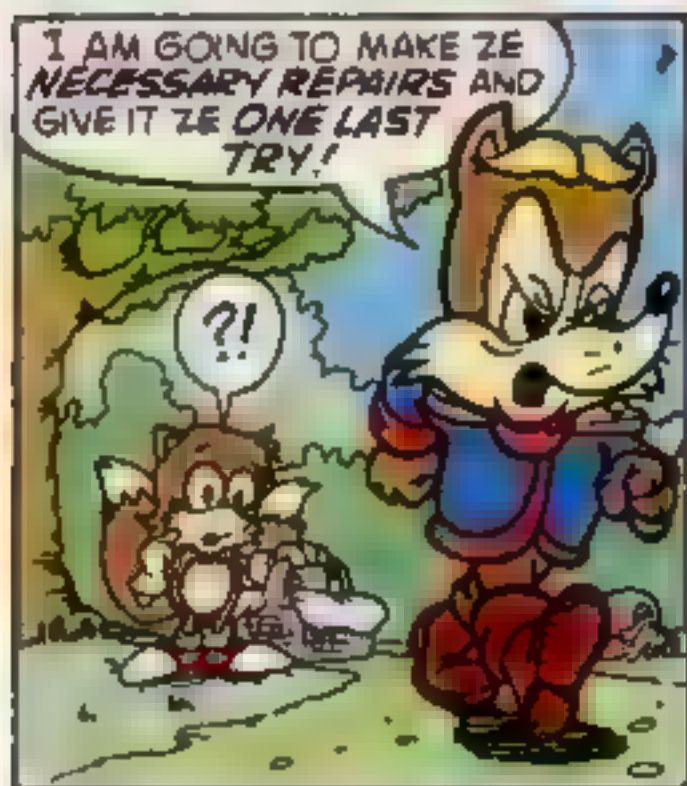
... AND I AM CERTAIN THAT ZE HOT AIR BALLOON CAN BE A BEEEG HELP TO US IN OUR FIGHT AGAINST ZE EVIL ROBOTNIK AND KEEZ BADNIKS!!

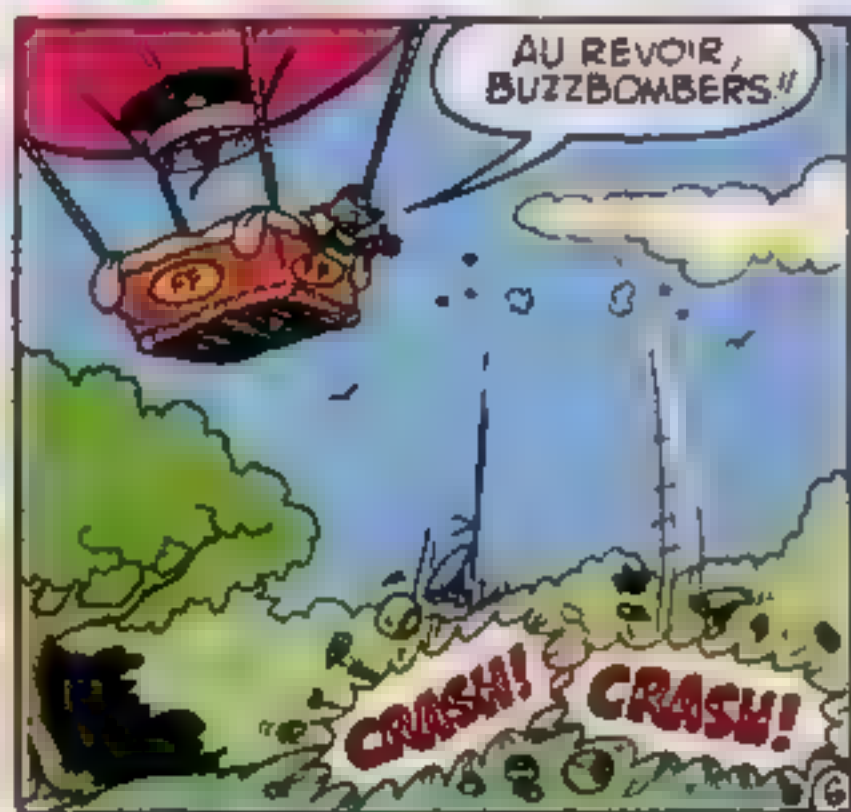
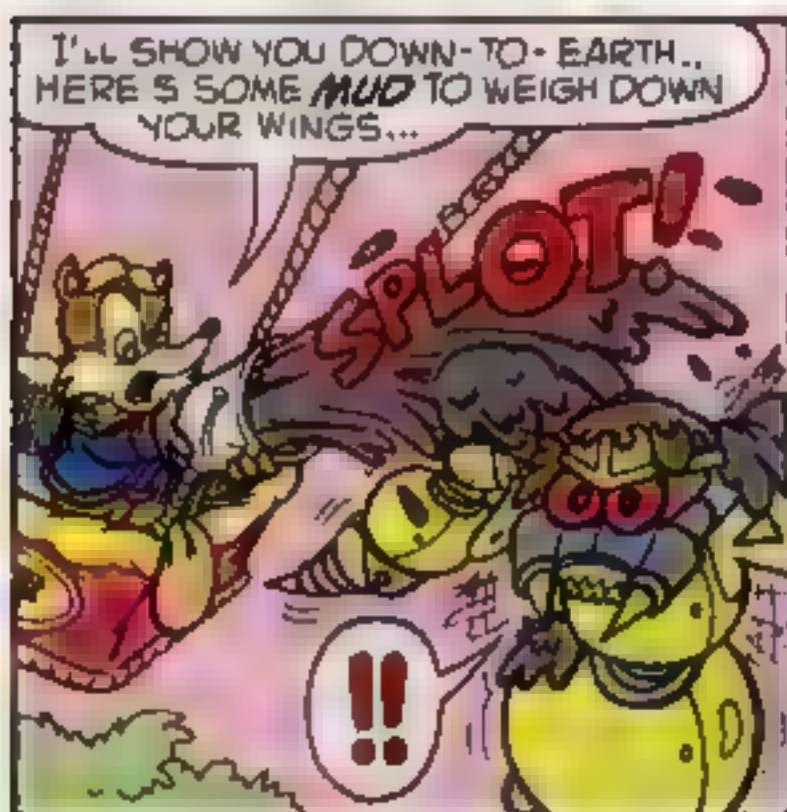
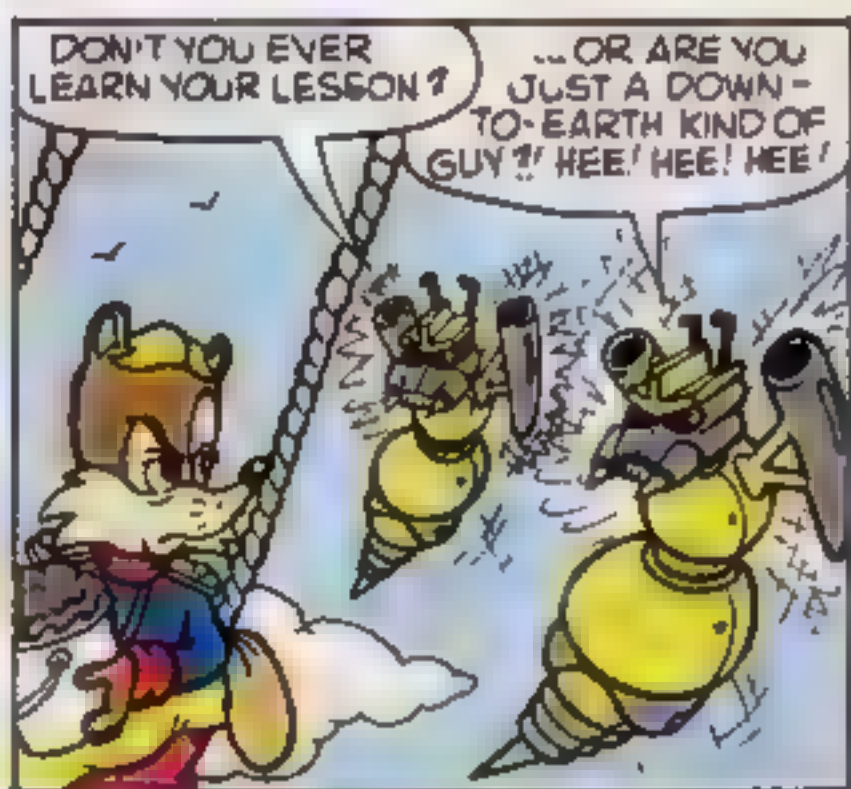
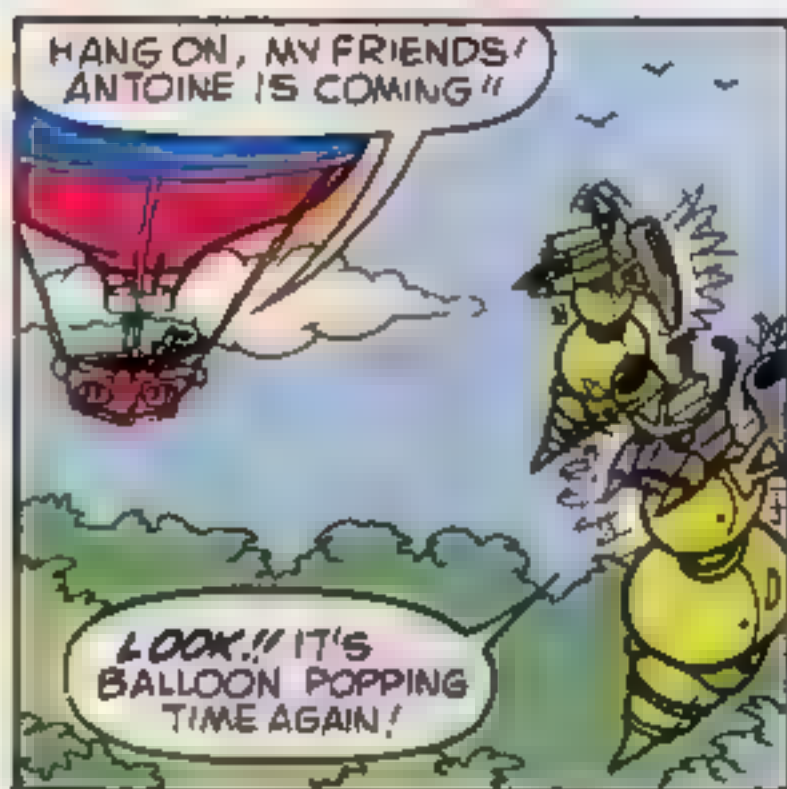
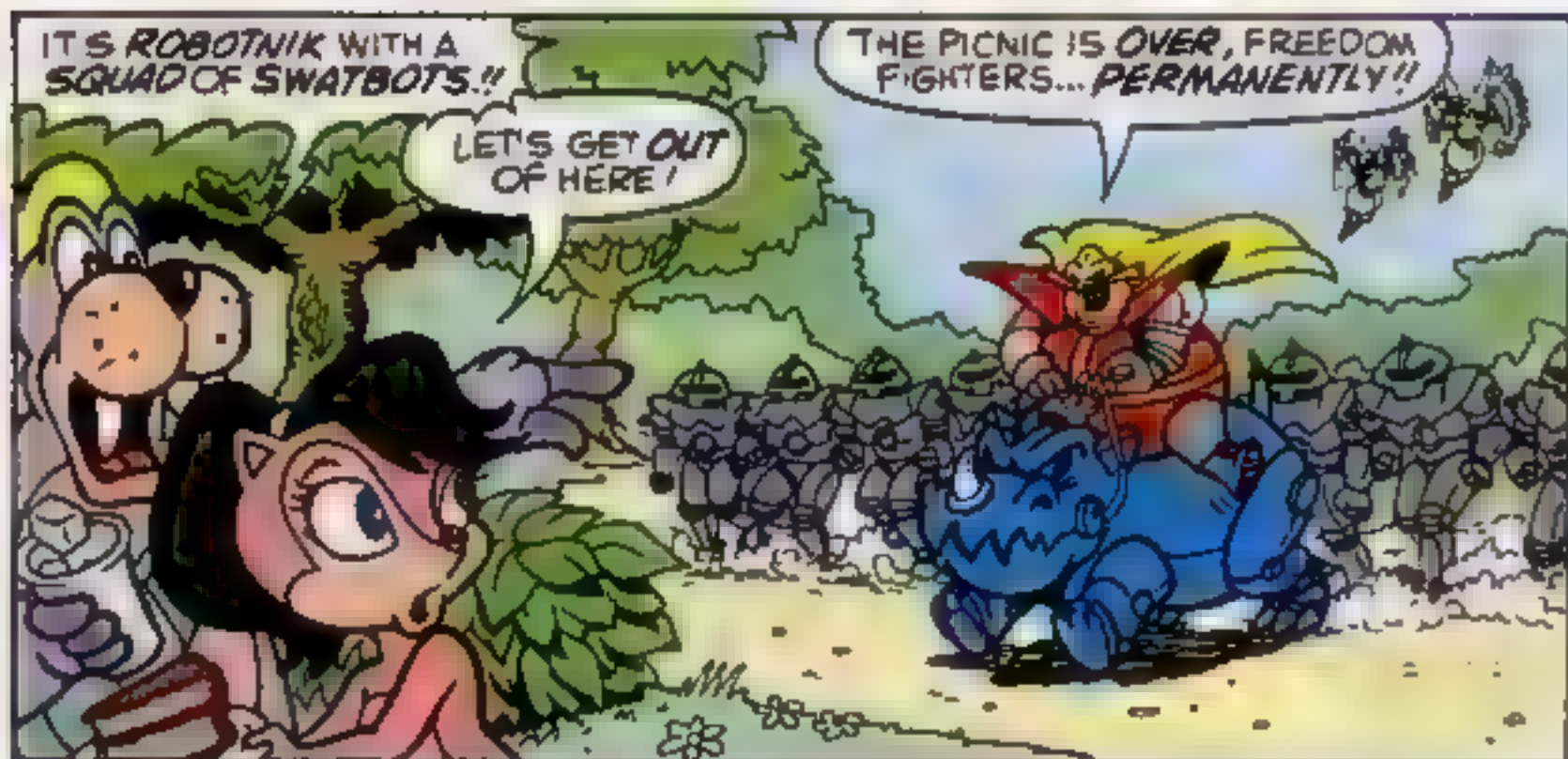


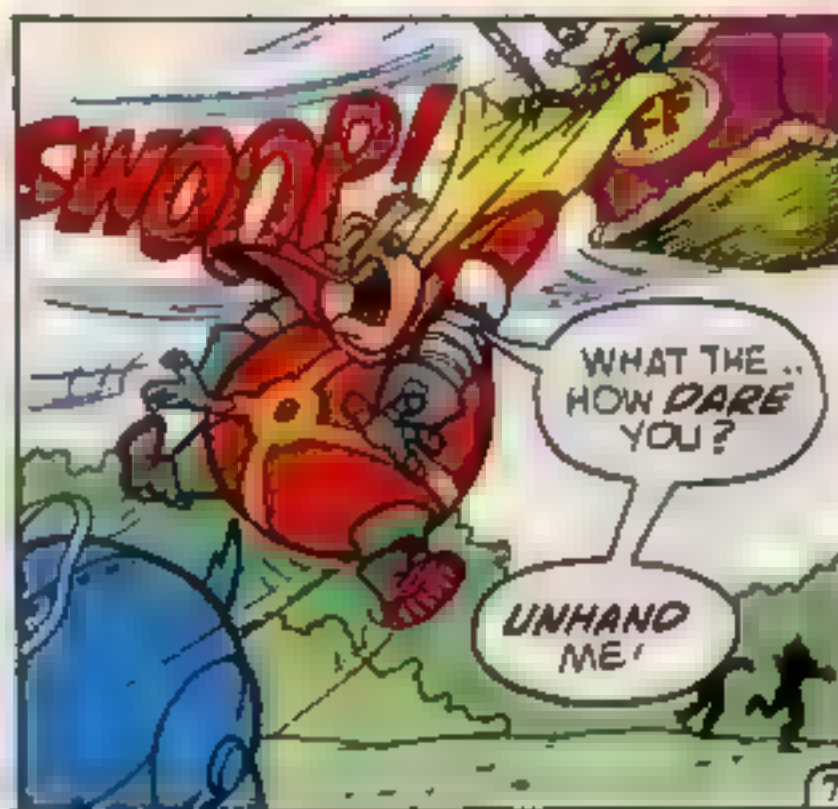
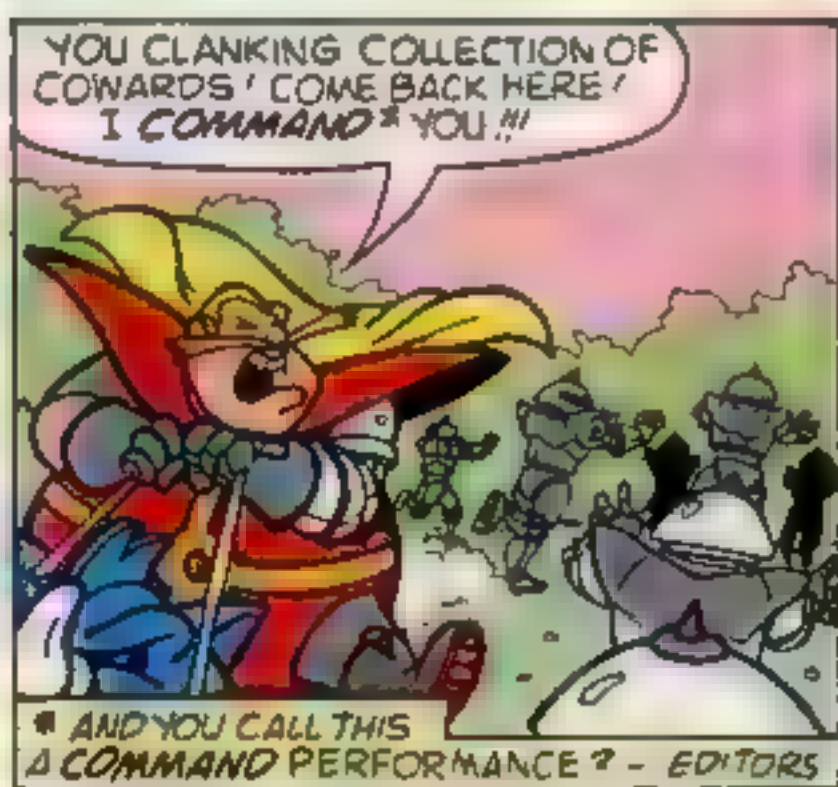
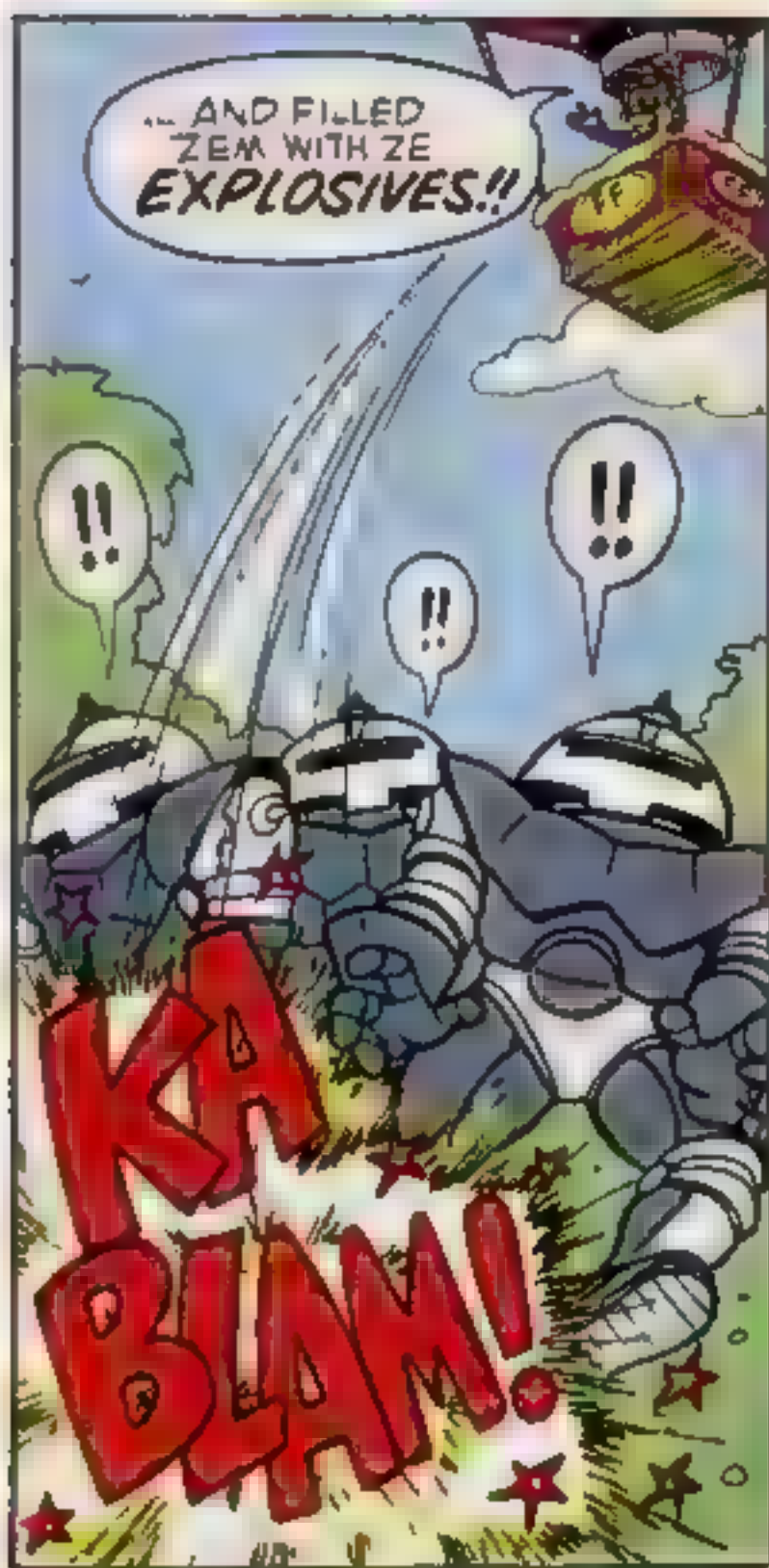
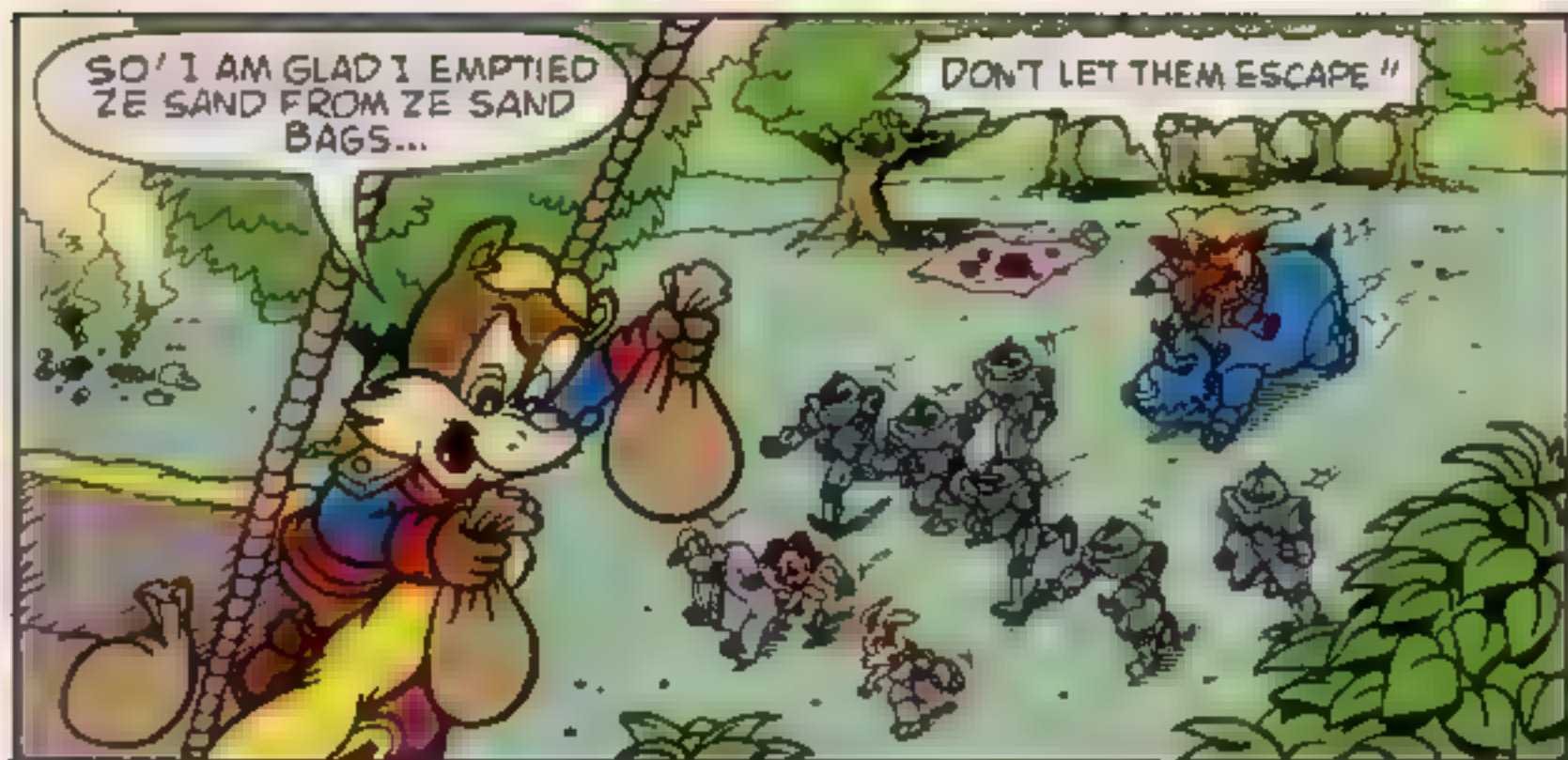














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Shift into full throttle,

Sonic fans--It's time to dive head-first into the bottomless Sonic mailbag (Don't forget your parachute)! *Yee-hah--a-w a y y y y y y y y we goooooooooo!*...

Dear Sonic and
Freedom Fighters,

My name is Dominique Ducote and I just love your comic books and they sometimes make me wish that I was like Sonic. I liked your #6 issue about Sonic Spinball. I got the message to write to you about more Sonic Spinball comics in upcoming issues. Could you please show more comics with Bunny Rabbit? I love her southern accent. I come from Shreveport, Louisiana and I am glad you have a Freedom Fighter from Southern Mobius.

Sincerely,
Dominique Ducote
Shreveport, LA

Dear Tails,

You are my idol. I try to be like you in every way. I think you should be in the comic book more often. How old are you, Tails? Are

you four-and-a-half or five?

I always get your comic book as soon as it comes out. I have Sonic Spinball now. I think there should be more comics with Sonic Spinball in them.

I also think you should have your own 1000 issue mini-series, Tails. Maybe even more than 1000 issues!

I have a suggestion: If you ever need a new Freedom Fighter, my sister and I thought one up. He would be a fox named Freddie. He would be six years old, and a friend of Tails. But unlike Tails, Freddie would have only one tail. He would also be a bit chubbier, and not as cute as Tails. Freddie would only appear in a few comics, and would not be a major character in any of them. It is only a suggestion, but I think it might be interesting to try and see how it works.

Well, Tails, I better stop writing now. Have a "way cool" day.

Your #1 admirer,
Robin Decker

**Robin--are you sure
you're not related to
Tails?**

Dear Sonic -Grams,

I watch Sonic The Hedgehog every morning. I like

Sonic and Tails the best. I would like to see more imaginary Sonic stories, and Sonic Spinball. Thank you!

Yours Sincerely,
Chuck Winsel
Damiansville, IL

Dear Sonic Team,

I am sending you this letter from England. My name is Jamie Badminton. In England I can only get your comic from specialist American comic shops. I have bought all issues in the regular series and it is my favorite comic book.

I will continue to read your comic for as long as it is published. Keep up the excellent work.

Jamie Badminton
Buckinghamshire, England

Yo, Sonic:

You are **totally** cool. Ever since that day in January, 1992 when my brother bought a Genesis, I have been a Sonic addict. We own every Sonic game on the planet. Anyway, I know you have some things to do (like rid the planet of egg-bellies) so I'll be straight. I have a few questions about you and Tails. How much does Tails weigh? How tall are you and Tails? Why does Tails have two tails? And finally,



when are your birthdays? You probably won't print my letter, but I need these answers for my Sonic and Tails profiles. By the way, MORE SPINBALL!!! MORE SPINBALL!!! MORE SPINBALL!!! Sincerely, your insanely devoted pal (and his brother Christopher) Michael Nigget

Dear Sonic,

Your comic is great! My brother has Sonic 1 and 2 for Genesis and they're both awesome! I just got issue #6. I definitely want to see more "Sonic Spinball" in future issues of Sonic The Hedgehog! I have one question: How fast can Tails run compared to you, Sonic? You don't have to print my letter, but I would like an answer to my question.

Your fan,
Tracy Harkins
Florissant, MO



Sit tight, Robin, Michael and Tracy-- official Sonic and Tails statistics are on their way soon from SEGA. Stay tuned!...

Dear Sonic- Grams,

Tails is my favorite Freedom Fighter. He is cute and he never thinks about himself. Sonic on the other hand is very vain. He always shows off and acts like he's perfect. Oh well, I like him anyway.

Thanks,
Jennifer Kraft

Tails, Tails, TAILS!!! SHEEESH! Are we gonna' have to change the name to TAILS-GRAMS?! You'd think he were PERFECT or something. If he keeps hangin' around with me, maybe some of MY perfection will rub off on him!-- Signed, Sonic.



A couple of quick notes before we go:

1.) You can catch the blue blur's animated adventures Monday through Friday (check your local listings for channels and times), and Saturday mornings on your local ABC station! To answer all the numerous inquiries, YES the Monday through Friday Sonic is different from the Saturday morning version. Specifically, the weekday Sonic is much

more humorous, while the weekend edition is adventure oriented. And yes, Sally and Rotor are only on the Saturday morning show!

2.) Unless you've been living under a rock, there's now about a gazillion different SONIC THE HEDGEHOG video games available for SEGA Genesis, Game Gear and SEGA CD ROM! If you don't have them, hightail it to your local SEGA outlet and start catching up!

3.) Once again, a special reminder: we notice that many of you are sending money for Sonic subscriptions and addressing it to "Sonic-Grams." Please do not do this. Only fan letters should be addressed to Sonic-Grams, while subscriptions can be mailed to just plain old "Sonic The Hedgehog." This will enable us to properly handle your order, and therefore get your Sonic comics to you faster!

4.) Start sending in those renditions of Sonic, Tails and the rest of the gang! (See the next page) SEND YOUR ARTWORK TO: SONIC FAN ART, c/o Archie Comics, 325 Fayette Ave., Mamaroneck, NY 10543!

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